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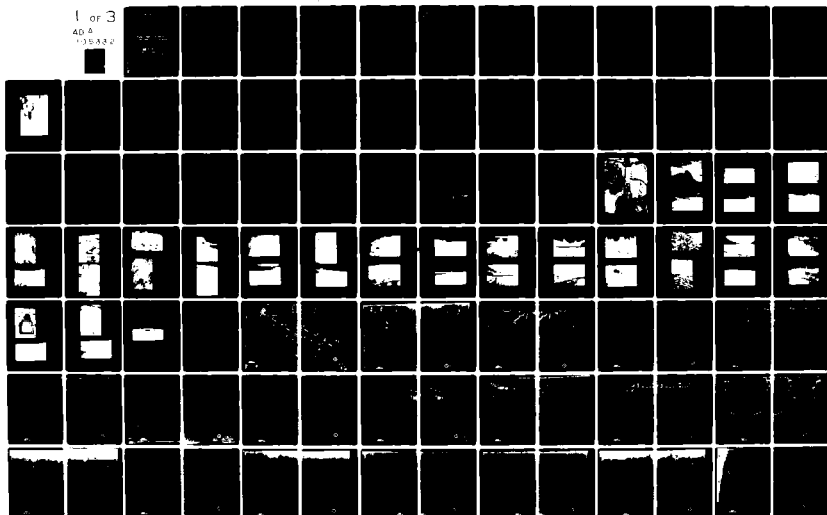
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ASSESSMENT SUMMARY

Name of Dam	Thomas Hill Reservoir Dam
State Located	Missouri
County Located	Randolph County
Stream	Middle Fork of Chariton River
Date of Inspection	May 7, 1980

Thomas Hill Reservoir Dam was inspected by an interdisciplinary team of engineers. ~~from Hoskins Western-Sonderregger, Inc.~~ The purpose of the inspection was to make an assessment of the general conditions of the dam with respect to safety, based upon available data and visual inspection, in order to determine if the dam poses hazards to human life or property.

The guidelines used in the assessment were furnished by the Department of the Army, Office of the Chief of Engineers and developed with the help of several Federal and State agencies, professional engineering organizations, and private engineers.

Thomas Hill Reservoir Dam has a height of seventy-two (72) feet and a storage capacity at the minimum top elevation of the dam of two hundred sixty thousand four hundred and fifty-eight (260,458) acre-feet. In accordance with the guidelines, a large size dam has a height greater than or equal to one hundred (100) feet and a storage capacity greater than or equal to fifty thousand (50,000) acre-feet. The size classification is determined by either the storage capacity or the height whichever gives the larger size category. Thomas Hill Reservoir Dam is classified as a large size dam.

In accordance with the guidelines and based on visual observation, the dam is classified as having a significant potential for damage and loss of life. Failure would threaten life and property. The estimated damage zone extends approximately sixteen (16) miles downstream from the dam. Within the damage zone are two power transmission lines and a strip mine area, in the first three miles, a State Highway 3 crossing at 3 miles, a crossing of U.S. Highway 24 at 12 miles and several dwellings with outbuildings between 12 and 16 miles downstream.

Our inspection and evaluation indicates that the spillways meet the criteria set forth in the recommended guidelines for a large dam having a significant hazard potential. The Probable Maximum Flood is the appropriate spillway design flood. The spillways will pass the one percent probability flood (flood having a one percent chance of being exceeded in any year) and also the Probable Maximum Flood without overtopping the dam. The Probable Maximum Flood (PMF) is defined as the flood that may be expected from the most severe combination of critical meteorologic and hydrologic conditions that are reasonably possible in the region.


The construction plans and a Geotechnical Safety Evaluation report dated 1978 were available for this dam. Based on review of the plans, the report and on observations made during the field inspection, the following recommendations are made:

- a. Measures should be taken to monitor the amount and clarity of seepage discharging from both abutment troughs. These discharge records should be included in the project files.
- b. Piezometers should be read at least once a year. Data should become a part of the project files.
- c. Additional seepage analyses should be performed by an engineer experienced in earth dam design using data collected from present and/or additional piezometers.


The following recommendations are made in regard to the maintenance of the dam:

- a. Trees should be removed from the downstream section of the dam and from the emergency spillway exit channel. Tree removal should be done under the guidance of an engineer experienced in the design and construction of dams. Measures should be taken to prevent their recurrence.
- b. Erosional gullies in the downstream section should be refilled, compacted and revegetated.
- c. Periodic mowing of vegetation on the downstream slope would facilitate early detection and correction of erosional problems.
- d. Installation of a stabilized gutter or drain with controlled and stable outlets along the downstream crest line of the dam would eliminate much of the present erosion on the downslope and minimize the maintenance needed to keep this problem under control.
- e. Installation and maintenance of a good drain ditch along the toe of the downstream berm is suggested. Monitoring the discharge from this drain would assist in future evaluation studies concerning safety of this structure.

- f. A program to provide for periodic inspection of the dam, similar to but not as detailed as the 1978 Geotechnical Safety Evaluation, should be initiated.


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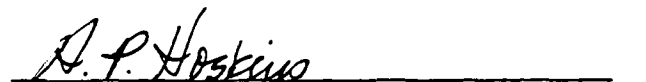

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SECTION 1 - PROJECT INFORMATION

1.1 GENERAL

- a. Authority. The National Dam Inspection Act, Public Law 92-367, authorized the Secretary of the Army through the Corps of Engineers, to initiate a program of safety inspection of dams throughout the United States. Pursuant to the above, the St. Louis District, Corps of Engineers, District Engineer directed that a safety inspection of Thomas Hill Reservoir Dam be made.
- b. Purpose of Inspection. The purpose of the inspection was to make an assessment of the general condition of the dam with respect to safety, based upon available data and visual inspection, in order to determine if the dam poses hazards to human life or property.
- c. Evaluation Criteria. Criteria used to evaluate the dam were furnished by the Department of the Army, Office of the Chief of Engineers, in "Recommended Guidelines for Safety Inspection of Dams, "Appendix D to "Report of the Chief of Engineers on the National Program of Inspection of Dams," dated May, 1975, and published by the Department of the Army, Office of the Chief of Engineers.

1.2 DESCRIPTION OF PROJECT

a. Description of Dam and Appurtenances.

- (1) The dam is a moderately large earth fill located on the Middle Fork of the Chariton River in the northwestern section of Randolph County. The dam creates a large reservoir to serve the Associated Electric Cooperative generating plant located near the dam. The dam is about 2450 feet in length with maximum height of 72 feet above the old stream bed and 57 feet above the prepared base. The maximum water storage at the minimum top elevation of the dam is 260,458 acre-feet.
- (2) The principal spillway is uncontrolled and consists of a 9' x 18' reinforced concrete drop inlet riser connected to a 9' diameter concrete lined tunnel. The tunnel is located in the left abutment and terminates at a hydraulic jump (St. Anthony Falls type) stilling basin. A 3' diameter drawdown port controlled with a rising stem valve is located in the riser approximately midway down from the crest of the riser. An 8-inch diameter cast iron pipe is also

located approximately midway down from the crest of the riser to maintain a minimum flow below the dam of 5 c.f.s.

- (3) An uncontrolled emergency spillway is excavated through bed-rock on the right abutment. The spillway has a bottom width of 50 feet. A reinforced concrete ogee weir control section is located on the centerline of the dam.
 - (4) Pertinent physical data are given in paragraph 1.3 below.
- b. Location. The dam is located in the northwestern section of Randolph County, northwest of Moberly, Missouri. It is located in the SE $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 24, T25N, R16W.
 - c. Size Classification. Criteria for determining the size classification of dams and impoundments are presented in the guidelines referenced in paragraph 1.1c above. Thomas Hill Reservoir Dam has a height of 72 feet and a storage capacity at the minimum top elevation of the dam of 260,458 acre-feet. This dam is classified as a large size dam. A large size dam has a height greater than or equal to 100 feet and a storage capacity greater than or equal to 50,000 acre-feet. The size classification is determined by either the storage capacity or height, whichever gives the larger size category.
 - d. Hazard Classification. Guidelines for determining hazard classification are presented in the same guidelines as referenced in paragraph 1.1c above. Based on referenced guidelines, this dam is in the Significant Hazard Classification. The estimated damage zone extends approximately 16 miles downstream from the dam. Within the damage zone are two power transmission lines and a strip mine area, in the first three miles, a State Highway 3 crossing at 3 miles a crossing of U.S. Highway 24 at 12 miles and several dwellings with outbuildings between 12 and 16 miles downstream.
 - e. Ownership. The dam and reservoir is owned by the Associated Electric Cooperative, Inc., 2814 So. Golden Street, P.O. Box 754, Springfield, Missouri 65801.
 - f. Purpose of Dam. The dam impounds a 56000+ acre foot reservoir to supply cooling water for a coal fired power generating plant.
 - g. Design and Construction History. The dam was designed by Burns and McDonnell, Kansas City, Missouri and constructed in 1966 by Eby Construction Co., Omaha, Nebraska. Portions of the construction plans for the dam are included as Appendix C. A copy of the Geotechnical Safety Evaluation Study of the dam made in 1978 by Burns and McDonnell is included as Appendix E of this report.

- h. Normal Operating Procedure. The reservoir level is dependent upon natural precipitation and the capacity of the uncontrolled spillways. The principal spillway is designed to accomodate removable stop logs above the weir crest to provide an operating reservoir elevation of 710.0. At the time of inspection the operating level was elevation 709.5 with about 0.5 foot of flow over the crest of the riser (apparently one stop log was removed).

1.3 PERTINENT DATA

- a. Drainage Area. 94,080 acres (147 square miles).

- b. Discharge at Damsite.

- (1) All discharges at the damsite are through an uncontrolled reinforced concrete drop inlet (riser) with a reinforced concrete conduit through the dam and an uncontrolled chute type spillway cut through bedrock in the right abutment with a concrete ogee sill control section.
- (2) Estimated maximum flood. The water level rose to approximately one foot below the emergency spillway crest from a storm which occurred in 1973. This information was reported by Mr. Paul Smith, plant superintendent.
- (3) The principal spillway capacity varies from 8 c.f.s. at elevation 709.0 feet (weir crest) to 2,087 c.f.s. at elevation 717.0 feet (emergency spillway crest) to 2,528 c.f.s. at elevation 737.4 feet (minimum top of dam). An 8-inch cast iron pipe is located at elevation 688.0 feet in the spillway to maintain a minimum flow of 5 c.f.s. below the dam at all times.
- (4) The emergency spillway capacity varies from 0 c.f.s. at its crest elevation 717.0 feet to 13,575 c.f.s. at elevation 737.4 (minimum top of dam).
- (5) Total spillway capacity at the minimum top of dam is 16,103 c.f.s. ±.

- c. Elevations. (Feet above M.S.L.)

- (1) Top of dam - 737.0 (Plans); 737.4 (Minimum Measured by Inspection Team)
- (2) Principal spillway crest and normal pool - 709.0 (Weir Crest)
- (3) Emergency spillway crest - 717.0
- (4) Streambed at centerline - 680 \pm

- (5) Observed Pool - 709.5
- (6) Maximum Experienced Pool - 716 \pm (April, 1973)
- (7) Lowest Pool - 707 (1978)
- (8) Maximum tailwater - Unknown

d. Reservoir.

- (1) Length (feet) of pool at top of dam - 76,000 \pm
- (2) Length (feet) of pool at principal spillway crest - 45,800 \pm
- (3) Length (feet) of pool at emergency spillway crest - 54,600 \pm

e. Storage (Acre-feet).

- (1) Top of dam - 260,458
- (2) Principal spillway crest and normal pool - 56,328
- (3) Emergency spillway crest - 96,385
- (4) Observed pool - 58,484
- (5) Maximum experienced pool - 95,222

f. Reservoir Surface (Acres).

- (1) Top of dam - 11,500 \pm
- (2) Principal spillway crest and normal pool - 4,214
- (3) Emergency spillway crest - 5,793
- (4) Observed pool - 4,310
- (5) Maximum experienced pool - 5,750

g. Dam.

- (1) Type - Earth fill
- (2) Length - 2450 feet \pm
- (3) Height - 57 feet above prepared base (measured)
- (4) Top width - 26 feet (roadway and riprap) measured

- (5) Side slopes.
 - (a) Downstream - Plans = 1V/2.5/4/12H; Measured 1V/2.7/4.2/11.3H
 - (b) Upstream - Plans = 1V/2.5/4/13.5H; Measured 1V/2/2.9H
- (6) Zoning - Plans show impervious fill center section with berm (random) fill upstream and downstream.
- (7) Impervious core - Center section
- (8) Cutoff - Exploration trench 5 to 10 feet in depth.
- (9) Grout curtain - Both abutments; Left = Station 15+50 to 25+50₊; Right = Station 32+00 to 37+25₊
- (10) Wave protection - Durable rock riprap.
- (11) Drain blanket under downstream section
- (12) Three relief wells at downstream toe between Stations 26+50 to 30+50.
- h. Diversion Channel and Regulating Tunnel. Uncontrolled principal spillway tunnelled through left abutment.
- i. Spillway.
 - (1) Principal
 - (a) Type - uncontrolled reinforced concrete drop inlet with removable stop logs on crest and 9 foot diameter concrete lined outlet tunnel through left abutment.
 - (b) Crest (invert) elevation - concrete weir = 709; Stop logs at 710.0
Outlet - Tunnel invert 667.9; stilling basin = 661
 - (c) Length - Tunnel = 165 feet.
 - (2) Emergency
 - (a) Type - Excavated cut in limestone and shale through right abutment, 50 foot bottom width and 1V on 1H side slopes.
 - (b) Control Section - Reinforced concrete sill with ogee weir.

- (c) Crest elevation - 717 feet
 - (d) Upstream Channel - excavated, 50 foot bottom, near level at elevation 715 \pm for 300 feet \pm .
 - (e) Downstream Channel - excavated 400 feet \pm long; slope = less than 1%.
- j. Regulating Outlets. Drawdown facility, 36-inch diameter into riser with rising stem valve.

SECTION 2 - ENGINEERING DATA

2.1 DESIGN

Design data and plans for the structure were made available from Burns and McDonnell, Consulting Engineers, Kansas City, Missouri. This information is shown in Appendix C. Several attempts were made to secure the Geotechnical data and report for design of the dam without success. Some of the Geotechnical data are reported in the report on Geotechnical Safety Evaluation of the dam by Burns and McDonnell, 1978 which is included in this report as Appendix E.

The design includes a prepared (compacted impervious fill) base for the embankment across the valley bottom up to elevation 680. A 3-foot thick sand blanket, placed on the prepared base, extends from the downstream toe upstream for a distance of $0.8B$ where B is the base width of the downstream section (C to toe). The blanket drain extends from Station 24+00 to 35+00+. Between Stations 25+00 and 32+00+, the sand blanket outlets into the riprapped toe of the downstream berm at elevation 680. Included in the design are 5 piezometers and 3 settlement plates located upstream, downstream and on the crest line. Three relief wells are located along the toe of the dam.

2.2 CONSTRUCTION

The dam was constructed in 1965-66 by Eby Construction Co., Omaha, Nebraska. Measurements indicate that the dam was constructed essentially according to the plans. Settlement plate readings made during and after construction indicate that anticipated foundation settlement occurred during the construction period. The Geotechnical Safety Evaluation Report of 1978 states that construction control records were reviewed and that construction conformed with specifications.

2.3 OPERATION

No data were available on spillway operation. It was reported by Paul Smith, Associated Electric Cooperative Power Plant Superintendent, that the emergency spillway has never operated. The highest reservoir level was about elevation 716 in 1973. The lowest reservoir level was about elevation 707 in 1978.

2.4 EVALUATION

- a. Availability. Plans and other data included with this report were made available by Burns and McDonnell through Associated Electric Cooperative Inc., Springfield, Missouri. Geologic and Soil Mechanics data and Soil Engineering analyses were not available despite several requests.

- b. Adequacy. The available data, field surveys, and visual observation presented herein are considered adequate to support the conclusions of this report. Seepage and stability analyses were not available. They were referenced in the 1978 Geotechnical Safety Evaluation Report by Burns and McDonnell which is considered adequate.
- c. Validity. The data and analyses are considered valid and adequate.

SECTION 3 - VISUAL INSPECTION

3.1 FINDINGS

- a. General. A visual inspection of the Thomas Hill Reservoir Dam was made on May 7, 1980. Engineers from Hoskins-Western-Sonderregger, Inc., Lincoln, Nebraska making the inspection were: R.S. Decker, Geotechnical; Garold Ulmer and Gordon Jamison, Hydrology. Messrs. Jerry Phelan and Fred Bader, St. Louis District Corps of Engineers, spent some time on site with the inspection team. Paul Smith, Plant Superintendent, was very cooperative in discussing the dam and in providing access to his files.
- b. Dam.
 - (1) Geology and Soils (Abutment and embankment). The dam is located in the dissected till plains overlying Pennsylvanian limestone and shale. The abutments consist of 5 to 10 feet of clay till overlying silty/clayey shales and clayey sandstones. Photos 6 and 21 show the shale outcrops in the abutments. The valley section consists of alluvial clays, silts and sand-gravel deposits up to 40 feet in depth. Materials in the embankment consist of CL-CH soils borrowed from the reservoir area and the upstream right abutment.
 - (2) Upstream Slope. The upstream slope is well covered with good durable riprap consisting of limestone and quartzitic sandstone. Nominal size of the riprap was estimated at 24 to 30 inches. A few of the larger rocks (less than 5% of the total) showed signs of cracking and deterioration, but the riprap generally looked good. Measurements of the slope do not exactly conform with the plans; however, the measured overall slope is essentially equal to the planned compound slope. No obvious deformations were observed on the slope. Photos 3, 23, 30 and 31 show the upstream slope.
 - (3) Crest. The crest is constructed in two levels with a well gravelled roadway 24-feet wide running along the upstream side at elevation 737+ and a well vegetated, berm-like, lower level crest 27 feet wide adjacent to the roadway on the downstream side at about elevation 734.5. No obvious deformations or cracks were observed on the crest. Measurements along the crest show a maximum variation of about 1 foot in elevation with all measurements above the design elevation of 737. Plate C-21 shows the measured profile of the crest. Photo No. 2 shows the crest.

- (4) Downstream Slope. The downstream slope is well vegetated with adapted grasses. A few small trees are growing on the slope and berm. No cracks, deformations or rodent activity were observed on the slope or berm. The toe slope of the berm is well covered with riprap. The downstream slope is shown in Photos 5, 19 and 37.

Several erosion gullies, up to 2 to 3 feet deep and 3 to 4 feet wide, were observed on the slope and the berm. Photos 15, 16 and 28 show the gullies on the slope. Seepage outcrops in the left abutment trough at about elevation 697 (downstream from about Station 24+50). Seepage effluent from the left abutment was estimated at less than 5 gpm. Seepage also outcrops in the right abutment trough at about the same elevation (697) as the right abutment seep. Flow from this seep was estimated at less than 0.5 gpm. All seepage was clear. These seeps in the abutment have existed since the reservoir filled, as shown by the following quotes from records of settlement plate and piezometer readings made in 1966 and supplied by the owner. "9-19-66-The east abutment is saturated to elevation 696.58. A flow approximately 3 gpm is measurable 80 feet south of Station 24+60. Another seep, at the same elevation, is evident on the west abutment near the head of the original ditch located 250 feet south of Station 35+50. The rate of flow is too low to be computable at this point." According to the plans, the areas upstream to the sides and below the elevations of the seeps are included in the grout curtain area.

It is assumed that the seeps are flowing through bedrock or near the till-bedrock contacts in the abutments, and that the grout curtain is not positive. A review of the original geologic investigation data might throw some light on the cause and source of these abutment seeps.

The entire area downstream from the berm is wet and boggy. This area apparently covers much of the old channel and was filled and graded as part of the designed base preparation. Part of this boggy condition results from the discharge of the relief wells. The blanket drain also discharges into this area. It was not possible to observe the blanket drain discharge. According to the Geotechnical Safety Evaluation Report of 1978, (Appendix E) this area was even wetter than at present prior to October 1977, when the area was cleared, "demucked" and partially drained.

All three relief wells were flowing at an estimated rate of 1-2 gpm, each,

Photos 7 and 8 show seep in the left abutment. Photos 17, 18, and 20 show seep in right abutment trough. Photos 11, 12, 13 show relief wells and discharges. Photos 9 and 10 show water standing along toe of the berm and total discharge from the left end of the toe of the berm.

c. Appurtenant Structures.

- (1) The principal spillway consists of a drop inlet (riser) connected to a 9 foot diameter concrete lined tunnel bored through the left abutment. The outlet tunnel exits into a S.A.F. like stilling basin. The drop inlet structure is located in the lake, and it was not possible to inspect it. Photo No. 4 shows the inlet structure. Measurements indicate that the reservoir level was about 0.5 feet above the crest of the riser at the time of inspection. The outlet and energy dissipator appear to be in good condition. Photos 34, 35 and 36 show the outlet of the principal spillway. Measurements indicate that the principal spillway was constructed according to the plans.
- (2) The emergency spillway consists of a 50 feet + wide channel excavated through bedrock (limestone and shale) in the right abutment. The control section consists of a reinforced concrete sill and ogee weir located across the spillway bottom on the centerline of the dam. The ogee weir control section was constructed in 1978 in accordance with plans shown on Plate C-20. The spillway has never operated. The concrete control section appeared to be excellent condition. Photos 24, 25, 26 and 27 show the spillway approach section, control weir and portions of the outlet channel. The outlet channel has a few trees growing along both sides as shown in Photos 26 and 27. The exit channel, some 400 feet downstream from the control section, has a number of trees (up to 6-inch diameter) growing in the bottom of the channel as shown in Photos 28 and 29.
- (3) Drawdown facilities consist of a 36-inch port on the upstream side of the riser which is controlled by a rising stem valve. Mr. Smith reported that the drawdown facility is operable but has not been opened for several years.

d. Reservoir Area. No significant erosion was noted around the waterline of the reservoir.

e. Downstream Channel. The channel downstream from the principal spillway is an excavated channel. It is open and clear as shown in Photo 36.

3.2 EVALUATION

This structure appears to have been designed and constructed in accordance with present day criteria for seepage control, slope stability, wave protection and overall safety. It appears to be in excellent condition, except for the few deficiencies in maintenance noted above.

Seepage through the abutments has occurred at about the same rate, from the first filling of the reservoir and does not appear to be detrimental to the stability of the structure.

The effects of seepage along the toe of the dam on stability of the structure are not known. The relief wells are operating and apparently dissipating any excess uplift pressures under the toe. However, it is felt that additional seepage and uplift analyses should be made based upon data collected from the new piezometers installed during the Burns and McDonnell Geotechnical Safety Evaluation Study in 1978.

Settlement plate records show no significant change since the end of construction.

SECTION 4 - OPERATIONAL PROCEDURES

4.1 PROCEDURES

There are no controlled outlet works for this dam. The pool level is controlled by rainfall, infiltration, evaporation, and the capacity of the uncontrolled spillways. There is a 36-inch diameter drawn-down facility controlled with a rising stem valve that is operable, but it has not been opened for several years.

4.2 MAINTENANCE OF DAM

Maintenance of the structure is generally good. A few trees on the downstream slope and in the emergency spillway exit channel should be removed, and the erosional gullies on the downstream slope should be repaired.

4.3 MAINTENANCE OF OPERATING FACILITIES

No operating facilities, except the drawdown facility, exist at this dam.

4.4 DESCRIPTION OF ANY WARNING SYSTEM IN EFFECT

The plant superintendent was not aware of a warning system in effect for this dam.

4.5 EVALUATION

The deficiencies observed during the inspection can be corrected with an improvement in the maintenance program.

SECTION 5 - HYDRAULIC/HYDROLOGIC

5.1 EVALUATION OF FEATURES

- a. Design Data. Plans for the dam and a "Hydrology Report", as prepared by Burns and McDonnell, Kansas City, Missouri, were obtained from the Associated Electric Cooperative. The plans for the dam are shown in Appendix C. The "Hydrology Report" is shown in Appendix D.
- b. Experience Data. The drainage area, reservoir surface area, and elevation-storage data were developed from the data prepared by Burns and McDonnell and presented in the plans and "Hydrology Report" and were verified using the following USGS 7.5 minute quadrangle maps: Elmer, Barnesville, New Cambria East, Bevier North, Lagonda, Bevier South, Prairie Hill and College Mound (See Plate A-3). The hydraulic computations for the spillways and dam overtopping discharge ratings were based on the plans and data collected in the field at the time of the field inspection. A discussion of the hydraulic computations is included in Appendix D.
- c. Visual Observations.
 - (1) The principal or service spillway appeared to be in good condition. The reservoir was discharging at approximately 0.5 feet over the weir crest at the time of inspection. One stop log had apparently been removed from the weir crest at the time of inspection.
 - (2) The stilling basin and exit channel appeared to be in good condition. The exit channel was straight and uniform and was clear of debris and weeds. (See Photos 34, 35 and 36)
 - (3) The emergency spillway is located in the right abutment and is cut into bedrock. It appeared to be in good condition with the side slopes being riprapped above the limestone outcroppings. There were, however, a few trees located in the exit channel. Spillway releases will not endanger the integrity of the dam. (See Photos 28 and 29).
 - (4) The spillway control section (ogee crest) appeared to be in excellent condition. (See Photos 25 and 26.)
- d. Overtopping Potential. The spillways will pass the probable maximum flood without overtopping the dam. The results of the routings through the dam are tabulated in regards to the following conditions:

<u>Frequency</u>	<u>Inflow Discharge c.f.s.</u>	<u>Outflow Discharge c.f.s.</u>	<u>Maximum Pool Elevation</u>	<u>*Maximum Depth Over Dam</u>	<u>Duration Overtop Hr.</u>
1/2 PMF	40,400	4,700	724.2	0	0
PMF	80,800	12,200	733.8	0	0

*Minimum Top of Dam Elevation = 737.4

According to the recommended guidelines from the Department of the Army, Office of the Chief of Engineers, this dam is classified as having a significant hazard rating and a large size. Therefore, the PMF is the test for the adequacy of the dam and its spillway.

The estimated damage zone is described in Paragraph 1.2d in this report.

SECTION 6 - STRUCTURAL STABILITY

6.1 EVALUATION OF STRUCTURAL STABILITY

- a. Visual Observation. This dam appears to be structurally stable. Testing and analyses presented in the Geotechnical Safety Evaluation Report (Appendix E) indicate that it is stable against shear failures. The effects of seepage along the toe of the dam on structural stability are not known. Seepage through the abutments does not appear to be detrimental to the structural stability.
- b. Design and Construction Data. Hydrologic design data were available. No other design or construction data were available, except for the construction plans and the Geotechnical Safety Evaluation Report made by Burns and McDonnell in 1978. According to the Geotechnical Safety Evaluation Report, the present dam fulfills the criteria used for design, and the construction records that were reviewed indicated that construction specifications were fulfilled.
- c. Operating Records. There are no controlled operating facilities for this dam except for the drawdown facility which has not been operated for several years.
- d. Post Construction Changes. Original plans show a concrete sill control section at elevation 715 in the emergency spillway. The present ogee weir section, with crest at elevation 717, was constructed in 1978. Plans for this modification are shown on Plate C-20.
- e. Seismic Stability. This dam is located in Seismic Zone I. An earthquake of the magnitude predicted in this area is not expected to cause structural failure of this dam.

SECTION 7 - ASSESSMENT/REMEDIAL MEASURES

7.1 DAM ASSESSMENT

- a. Safety. This dam appears to be in excellent condition and does not appear to have any serious potential of failure. Analyses presented in Section 5, indicate that the spillways will pass the PMF without overtopping the dam. Seepage through the abutments is apparently about the same as when the dam was first constructed. Additional studies should be made to determine the effects of seepage along the downstream toe. A few deficiencies in maintenance; (gullies on downstream slope and berm, tree growth on the downstream slope and in the emergency spillway exit, ponded water and poor drainage along the downstream toe) should be corrected.
- b. Adequacy of Information. Information available on design and construction and data collected during the inspection are considered adequate to justify the conclusions presented in this report. Seepage and stability analyses referenced in the Geotechnical Safety Evaluation Report (Appendix E) are considered adequate.
- c. Urgency. There does not appear to be an immediate urgency to accomplish the remedial measures recommended in paragraph 7.2.
- d. Necessity for Further Studies. Further studies as stated in paragraph 7.2b related to monitoring seepage are recommended.
- e. Seismic Stability. This dam is located in Seismic Zone 1. An earthquake of this magnitude is not expected to be hazardous to this dam.

7.2 REMEDIAL MEASURES

a. Alternatives.

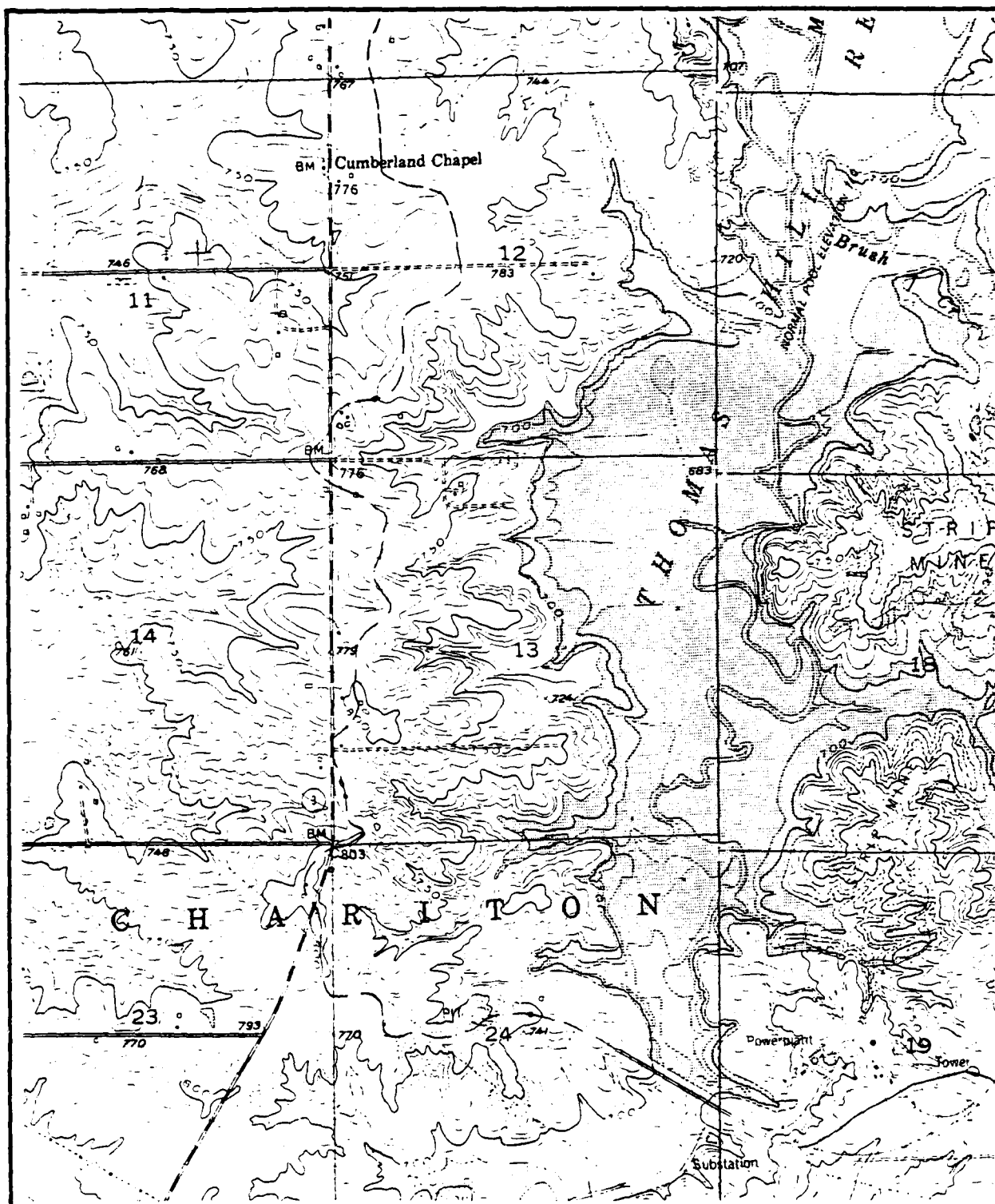
- (1) Since the project accommodates the Probable Maximum Flood no alternatives are required.

b. Operation and Maintenance Procedures.

- (1) It is recommended that measures be taken to monitor the amount and clarity of seepage discharging from both abutment troughs and that these discharge records be included in the project files.
- (2) It is also recommended that the piezometers be read at least once a year and that these data become a part of the project files.
- (3) Additional seepage analyses should be performed, by an engineer experienced in earth dam design, using data collected from present and/or additional piezometers.

- (4) Trees should be removed from the downstream section of the dam and from the emergency spillway exit channel. Tree removal should be done under the guidance of an engineer experienced in the design and construction of dams. Measures should be taken to prevent their recurrence.
- (5) Erosional gullies in the downstream section should be re-filled, compacted and revegetated.
- (6) Periodic mowing of vegetation on the downstream slope would facilitate early detection and correction of erosional problems.
- (7) Installation of a stabilized gutter or drain with controlled and stable outlets along the downstream crest line of the dam would eliminate much of the present erosion on the downstream slope and minimize the maintenance needed to keep this problem under control.
- (8) Installation and maintenance of a good drain ditch along the toe of the downstream berm is suggested. Monitoring the discharge from this drain would assist in future evaluation studies concerning safety of this structure.
- (9) A program to provide for periodic inspection of the dam, similar to but not as detailed as the 1978 Geotechnical Safety Evaluation, should be initiated.

APPENDIX A
MAPS



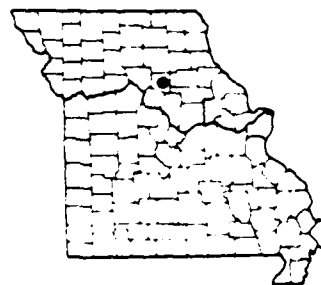
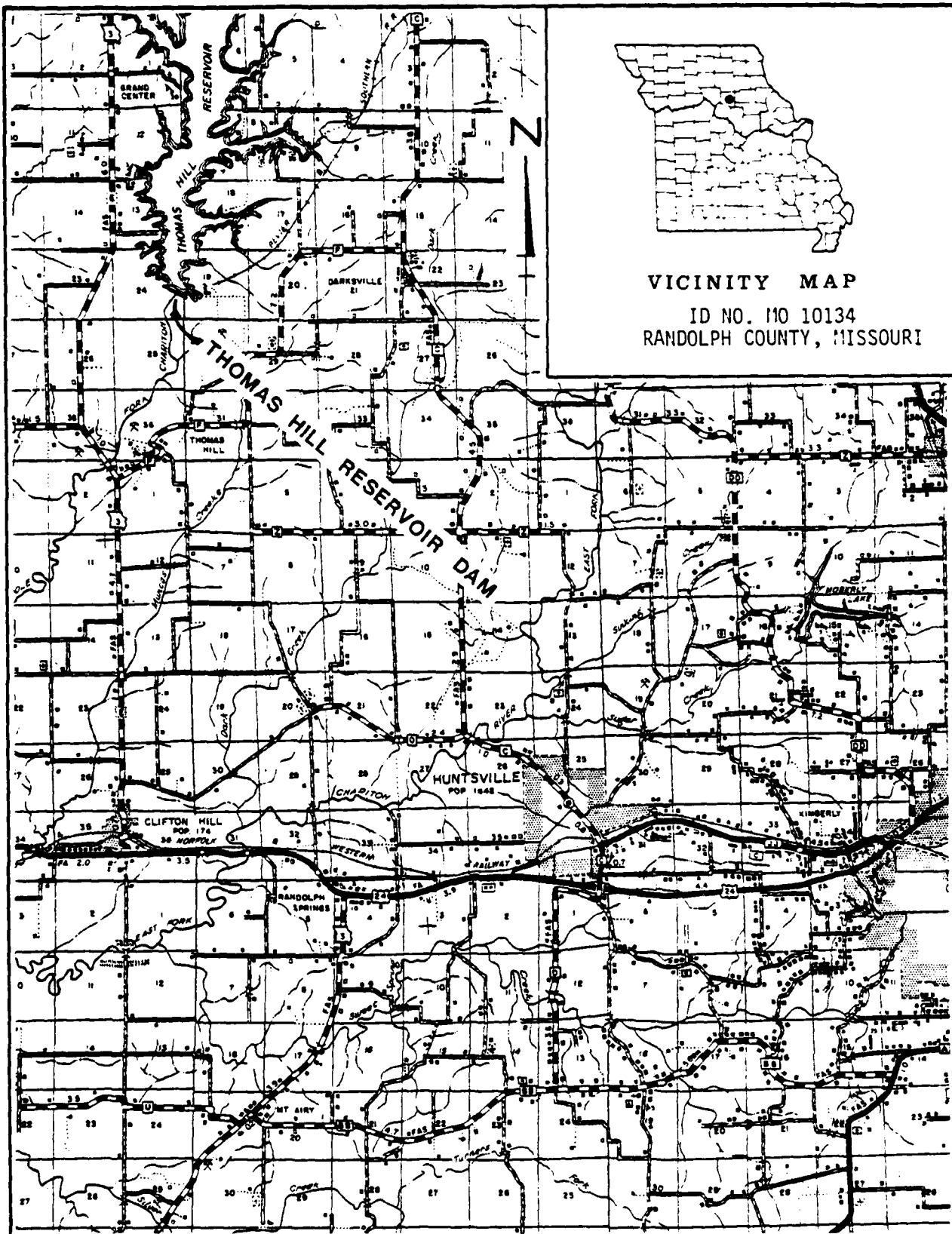
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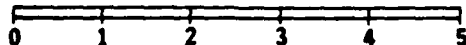
VICINITY TOPOGRAPHY
 THOMAS HILL RESERVOIR DAM
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PLATE A-1

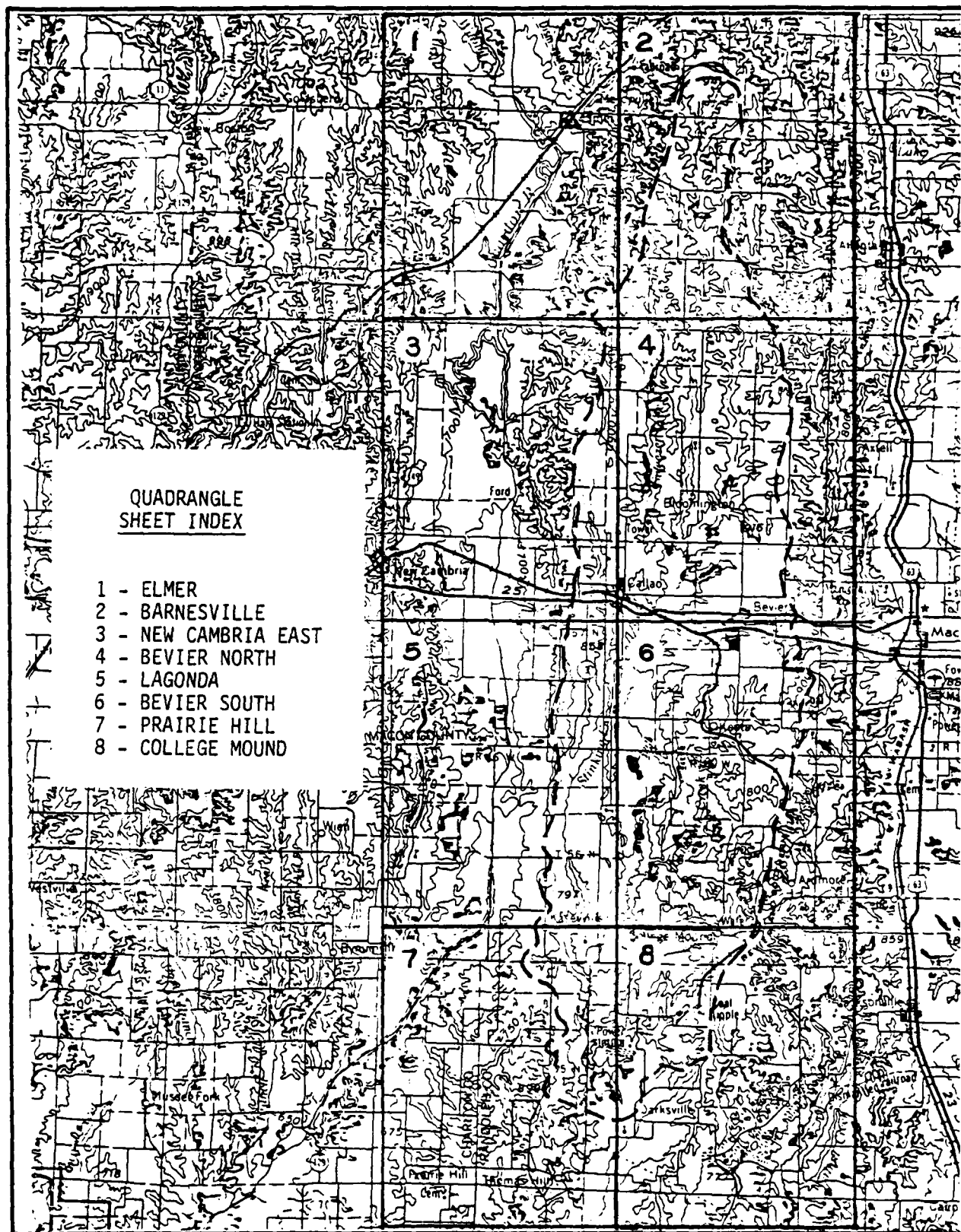


VICINITY MAP
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Scale in miles



LOCATION MAP
PLATE A-2



THOMAS HILL RESERVOIR DAM
RANDOLPH COUNTY, MISSOURI
MO 10134

DRAINAGE AREA MAP

PLATE A-3

APPENDIX B
PHOTOGRAPHS



THOMAS HILL RESERVOIR DAM
RANDOLPH COUNTY, MISSOURI
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PHOTO INDEX

PLATE B-1



PHOTO NO. 2 - CREST FROM LEFT END



PHOTO NO. 3 - UPSTREAM SLOPE FROM LEFT SIDE



PHOTO NO. 4 - PRINCIPAL SPILLWAY INLET



PHOTO NO. 5 - DOWNSTREAM SLOPE FROM LEFT END

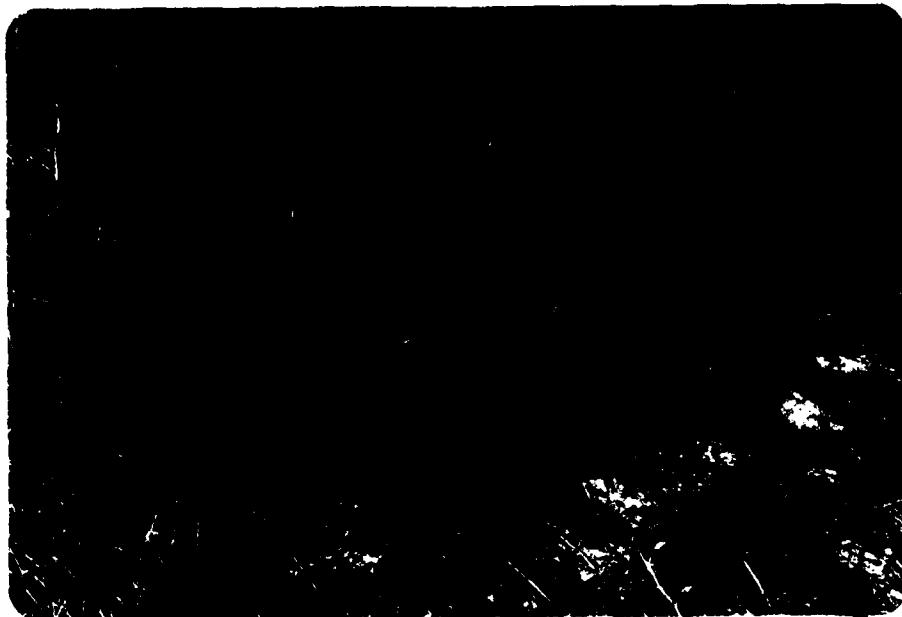


PHOTO NO. 6 - SHALY OUTCROPS IN LEFT ABUTMENT



PHOTO NO. 7 - LARGE SEEPAGE AREA IN LEFT ABUTMENT TROUGH



PHOTO NO. 8 - SEEPAGE DIS-
CHARGE AT OUTLET END OF
LEFT ABUTMENT



PHOTO NO. 9 - WATER STANDING ALONG THE TOE OF DAM



PHOTO NO. 10 - DITCH DRAIN-
ING SEEPAGE AWAY FROM TOE



PHOTO NO. 11 - DISCHARGE
FROM LEFT RELIEF WELL



PHOTO NO. 12 - LEFT RELIEF WELL IN FOREGROUND



PHOTO NO. 13 - DISCHARGE FROM
MIDDLE RELIEF WELL



PHOTO NO. 14 - ALIGN-
MENT OF THREE PIEZO-
METERS LOOKING UPSTREAM
FROM RIGHT RELIEF WELL

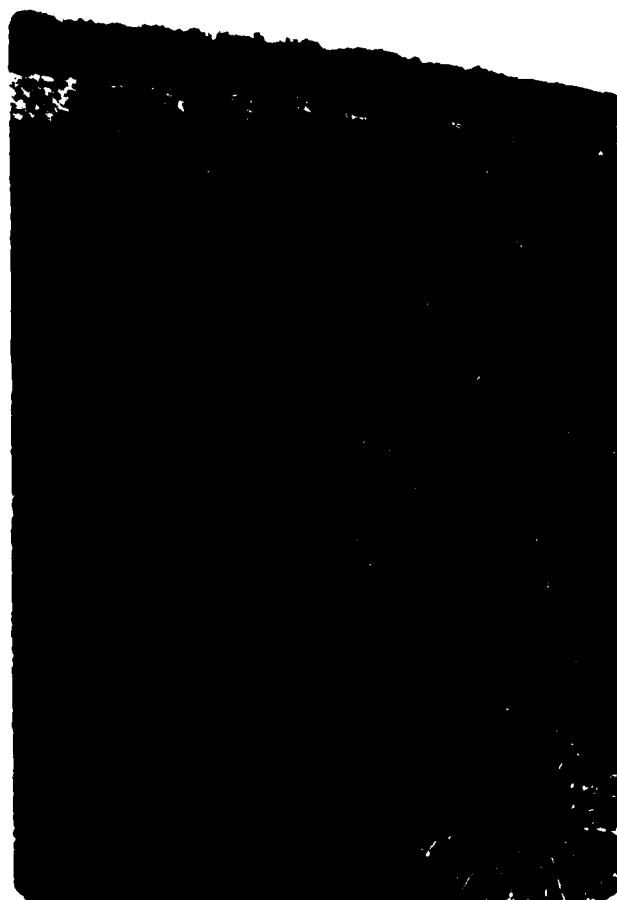


PHOTO NO. 15 - GULLY IN
DOWNSTREAM SLOPE AND
BERM



PHOTO NO. 16 - GULLY DOWN DOWNSTREAM SLOPE AT STA. 31+00⁺



PHOTO NO. 17 - SEEP IN RIGHT ABUTMENT TROUGH



PHOTO NO. 18 - DISCHARGE
FROM SEEP AREA TO RIGHT
OF RIGHT ABUTMENT TROUGH



PHOTO NO. 19 - DOWNSTREAM SLOPE FROM RIGHT SHOWING ROCK
COVERING TOE OF BERM



PHOTO NO. 20 - SEEPAGE DOWSNTREAM FROM RIGHT ABUTMENT TROUGH



PHOTO NO. 21 - WEATHERED SILTY SHALE IN RIGHT ABUTMENT



PHOTO NO. 22 - DOWNSTREAM SLOPE FROM RIGHT END



PHOTO NO. 23 - UPSTREAM SLOPE FROM RIGHT END



PHOTO NO. 24 - VIEW UPSTREAM SHOWING EMERGENCY SPILLWAY ENTRANCE

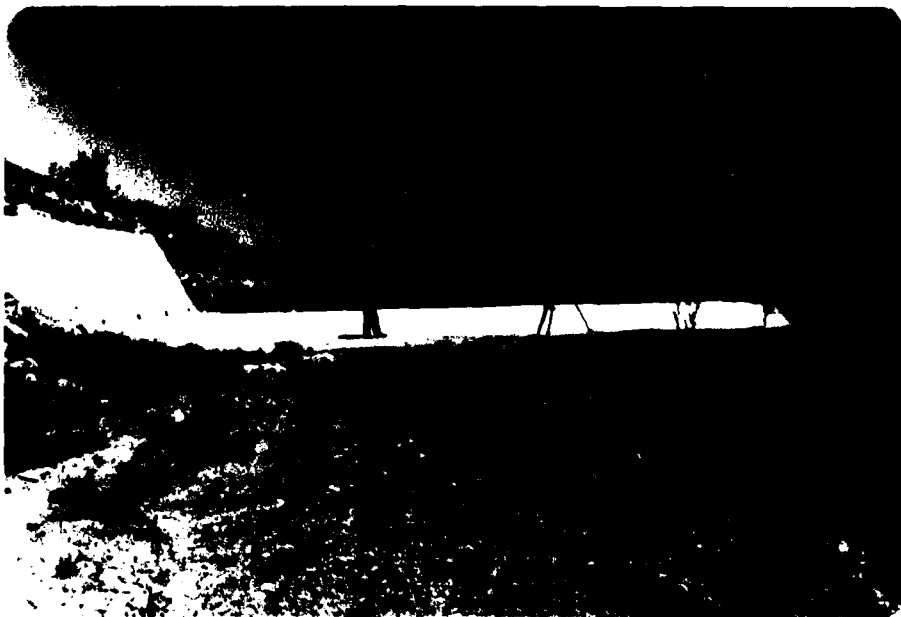


PHOTO NO. 25 - VIEW UPSTREAM IN EMERGENCY SPILLWAY SHOWING CONTROL WEIR



PHOTO NO. 26 - VIEW DOWNSTREAM IN EMERGENCY SPILLWAY



PHOTO NO. 27 - GREY AND TAN SILTY SILTSTONE AND LIMESTONE EXPOSED
IN RIGHT SIDE OF SPILLWAY EXIT CHANNEL



PHOTO NO. 28 - EXIT CHANNEL FROM SPILLWAY



PHOTO NO. 29 - VIEW UPSTREAM INTO SPILLWAY. PHOTO TAKEN APPROX. 50 FEET
FROM EXIT CHANNEL



PHOTO NO. 30 - UPSTREAM FACE TAKEN ABOUT CENTERLINE LOOKING TO RIGHT



PHOTO NO. 31 - SETTLEMENT GAUGE NO. 1 AT STATION 27+50±



PHOTO NO. 32 - VIEW OF RESERVOIR FROM STATION 25+50 \pm



PHOTO NO. 33 - VIEW DOWNSTREAM FROM STATION 25+50 \pm



PHOTO NO. 34 - VIEW OF PRINCIPAL SPILLWAY OUTLET



PHOTO NO. 35 - OUTLET OF PRINCIPAL SPILLWAY FROM DOWNSTREAM

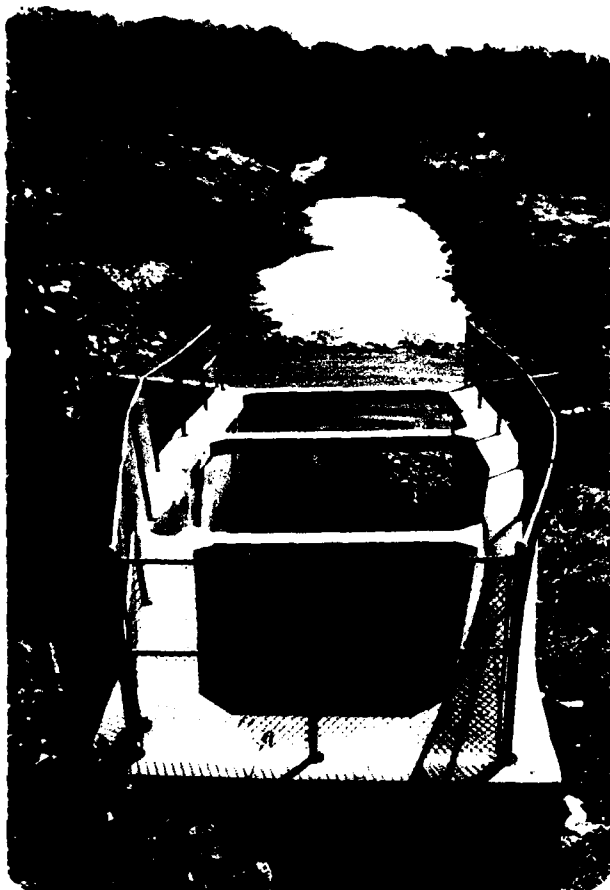


PHOTO NO. 36 - VIEW DOWNSTREAM
SHOWING OUTLET CHANNEL OF
PRINCIPAL SPILLWAY



PHOTO NO. 37 - DOWNSTREAM SLOPE FROM LEFT SHOWING SEEP AREA IN LEFT
ABUTMENT TROUGH

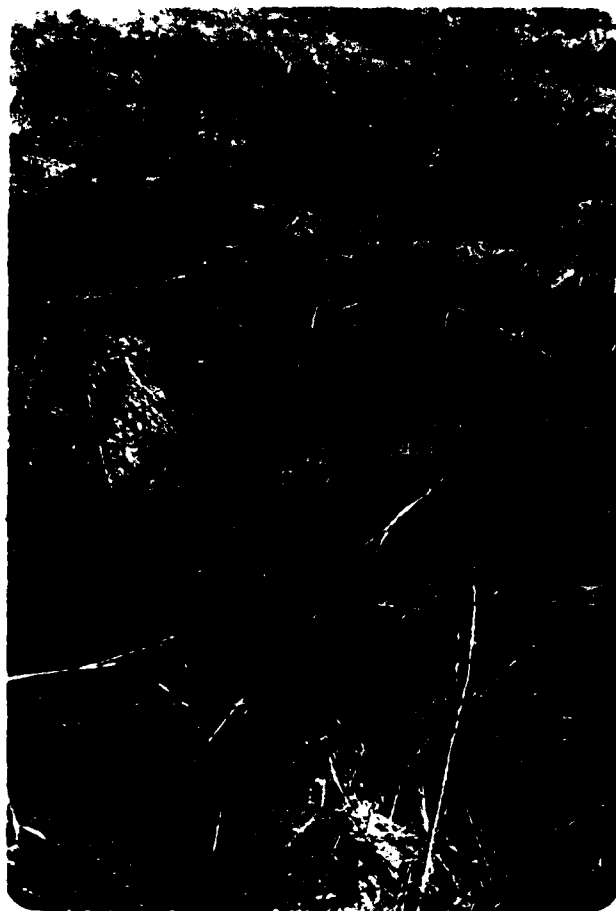


PHOTO NO. 38 - LOOKING
DOWNSTREAM AT GULLY IN
DOWNSTREAM FACE AT
STATION 27+70±



PHOTO NO. 39 - SEEP AREAS IN RIGHT ABUTMENT TROUGH. PHOTO
TAKEN FROM STATION 37+50

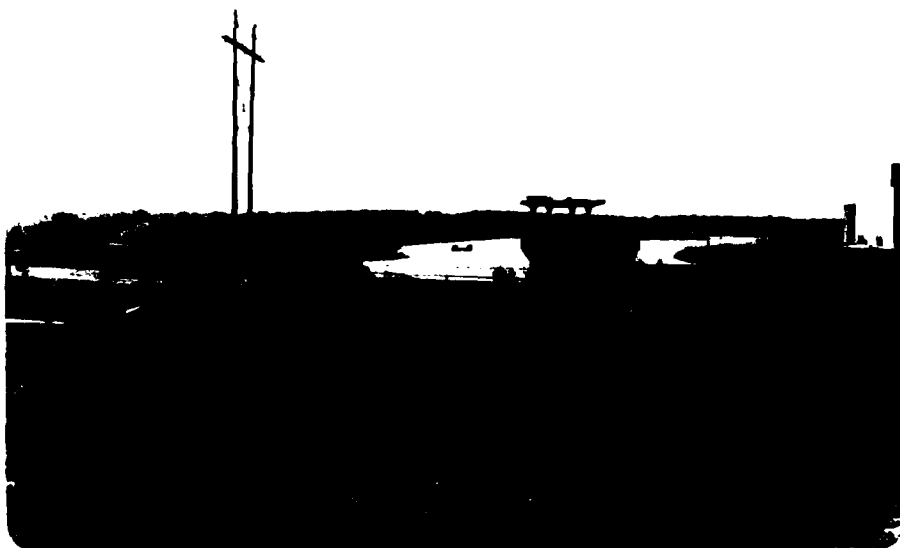
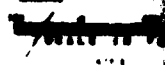


PHOTO NO. 40 - OVERVIEW TAKEN FROM LEFT ABUTMENT ROADWAY INTO
POWER PLANT


APPENDIX C
PROJECT PLATES

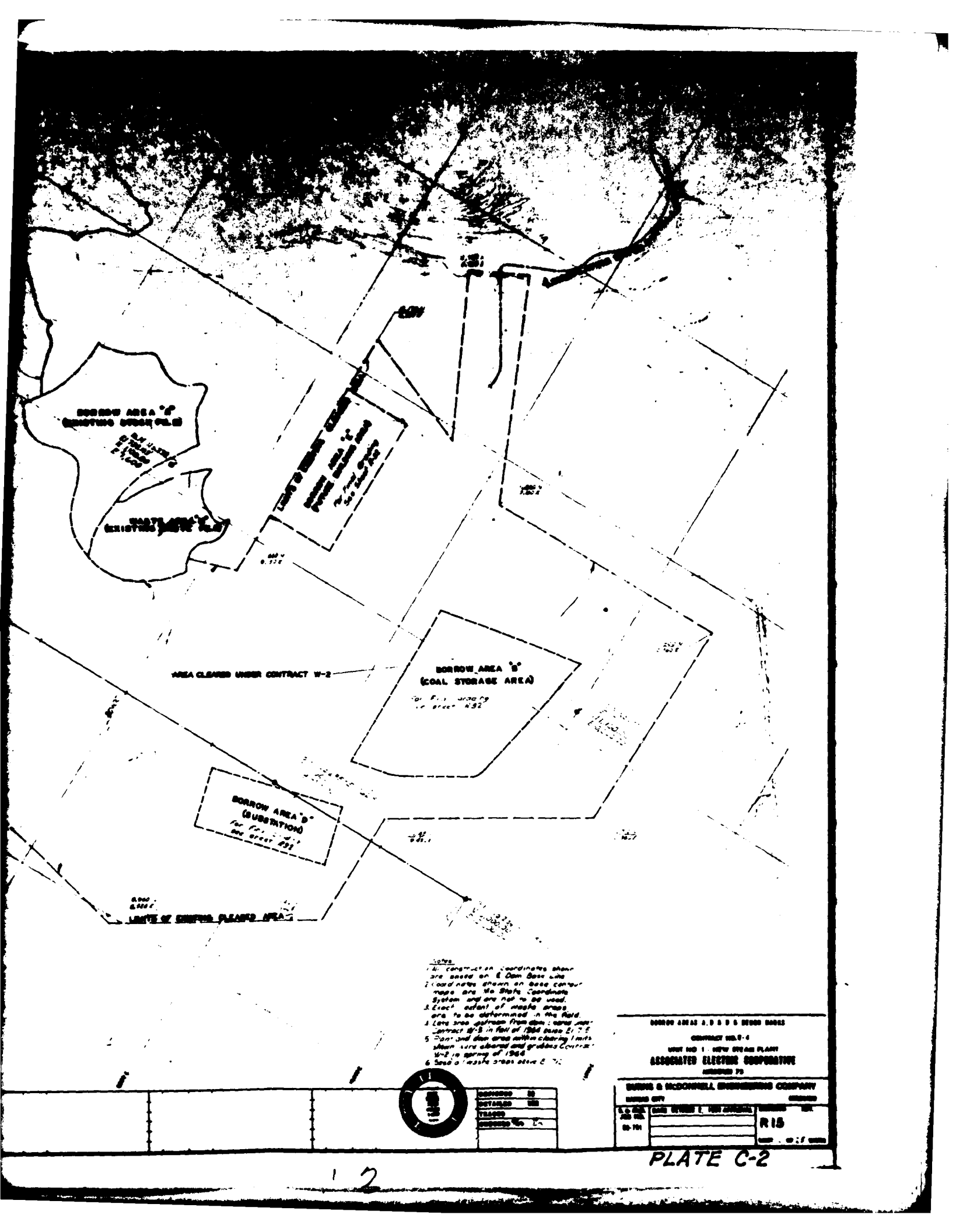


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BORROW AREA "A"
(EXISTING COAL PILE)

WASTE AREA
(EXISTING WASTE PILE)

AREA TO BE CLEARED UNDER CONTRACT W-2
FOR FILLING OF BORROW AREA "B"

AREA CLEARED UNDER CONTRACT W-2

BORROW AREA "B"
(COAL STORAGE AREA)

For FILLING OF BORROW AREA "B"

BORROW AREA "C"
(SUBSTATION)

For FILLING OF BORROW AREA "C"

8.000
8.000

LINE OF CEMETARY PLANT AREA

- NOTES:
1. Construction coordinates shown are based on E. Dan Base line.
 2. Coordinates shown on base contour maps are the State Coordinate System and are not to be used.
 3. Exact extent of waste areas are to be determined in the field.
 4. Lava area upstream from dam: area not Contract W-2 in Fall of 1964 base E. 7.5
 5. Plan and elevations within clearing limits shown were cleared and graded Contract W-2 in Spring of 1964.
 6. Seed a waste area after E. 7.5



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BORROW AREAS A, B, C & DESIGN NOTES

CONTRACT NO. 7-4

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ASSOCIATED ELECTRIC COOPERATIVE

APPROVED BY

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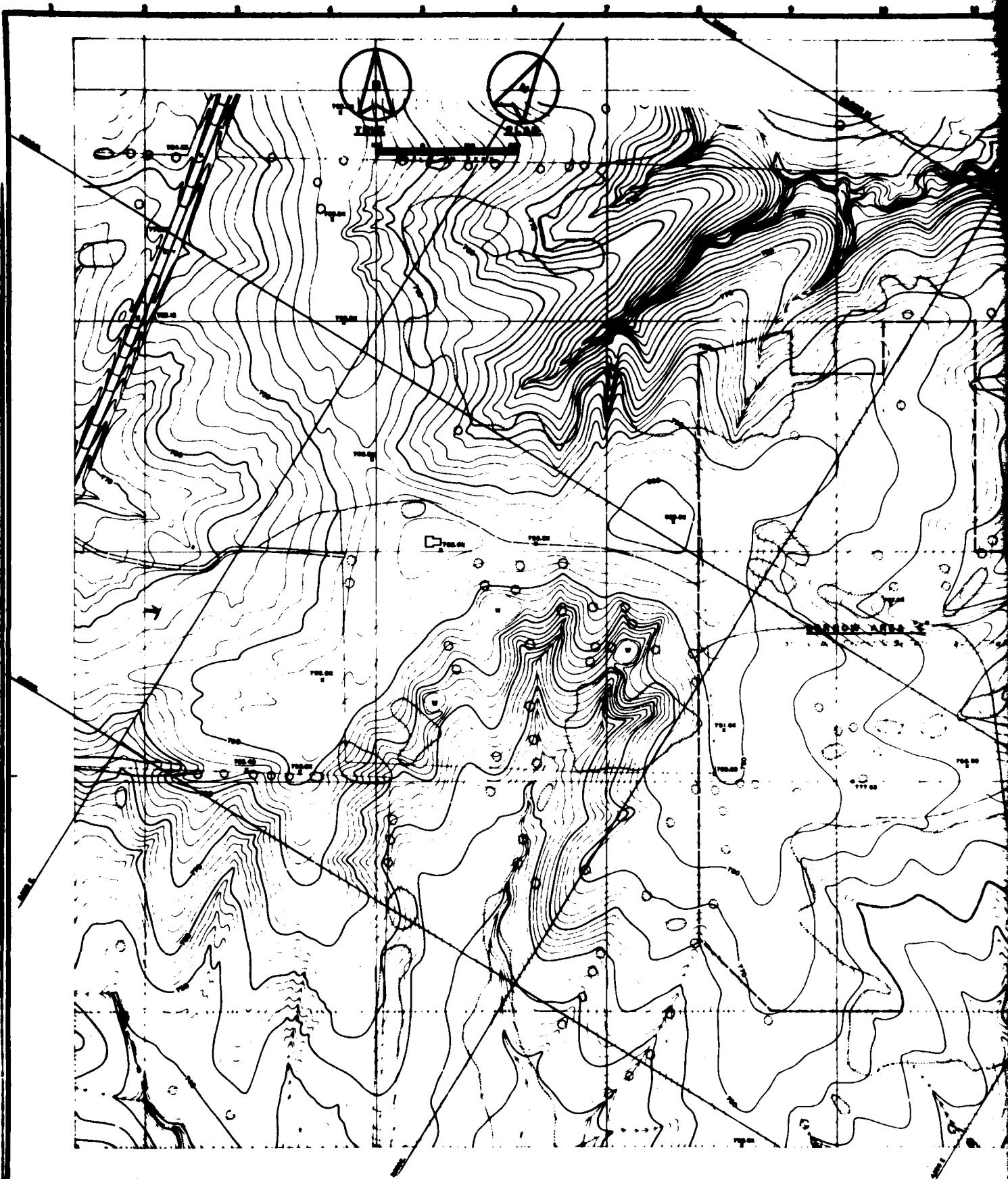
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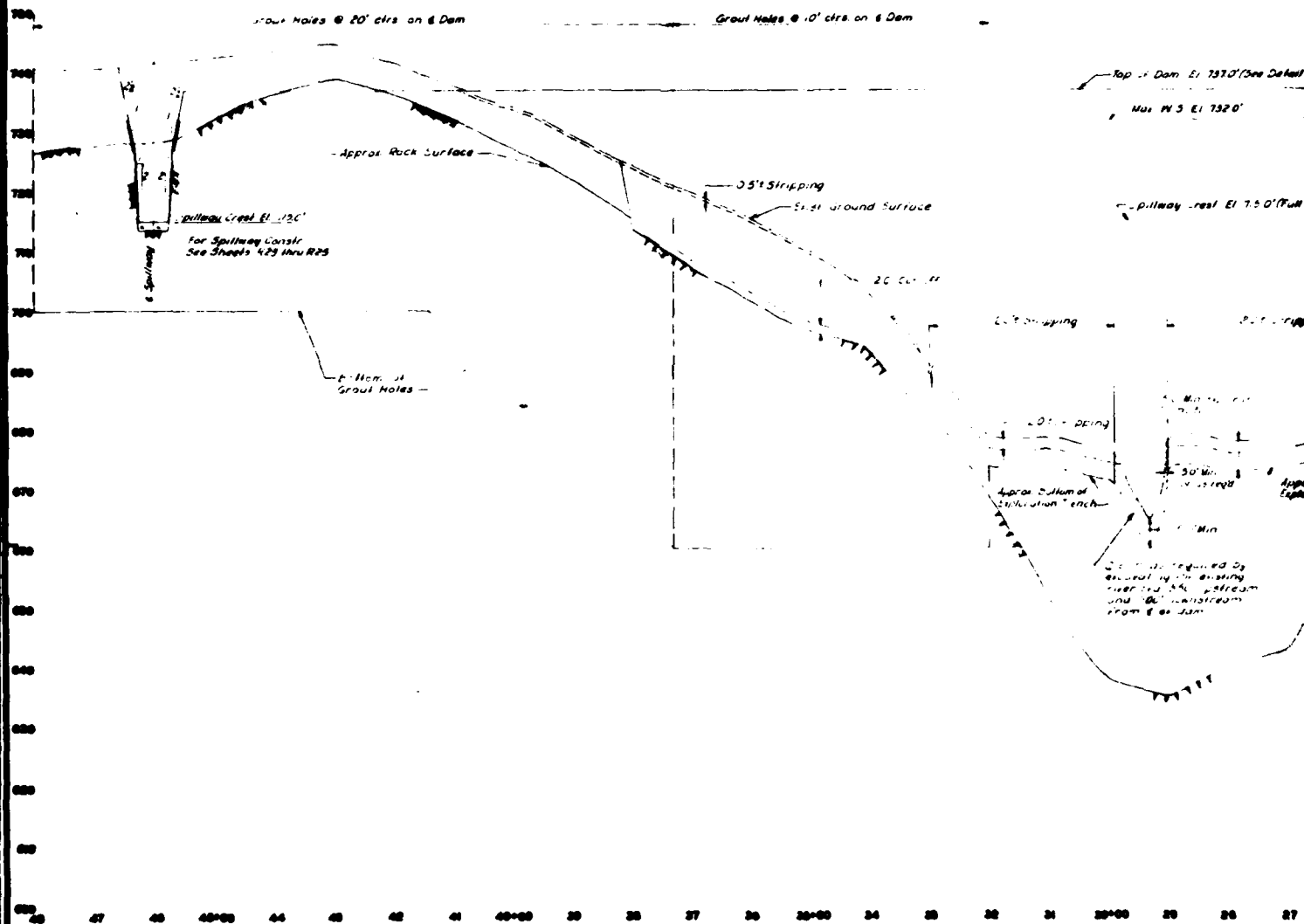
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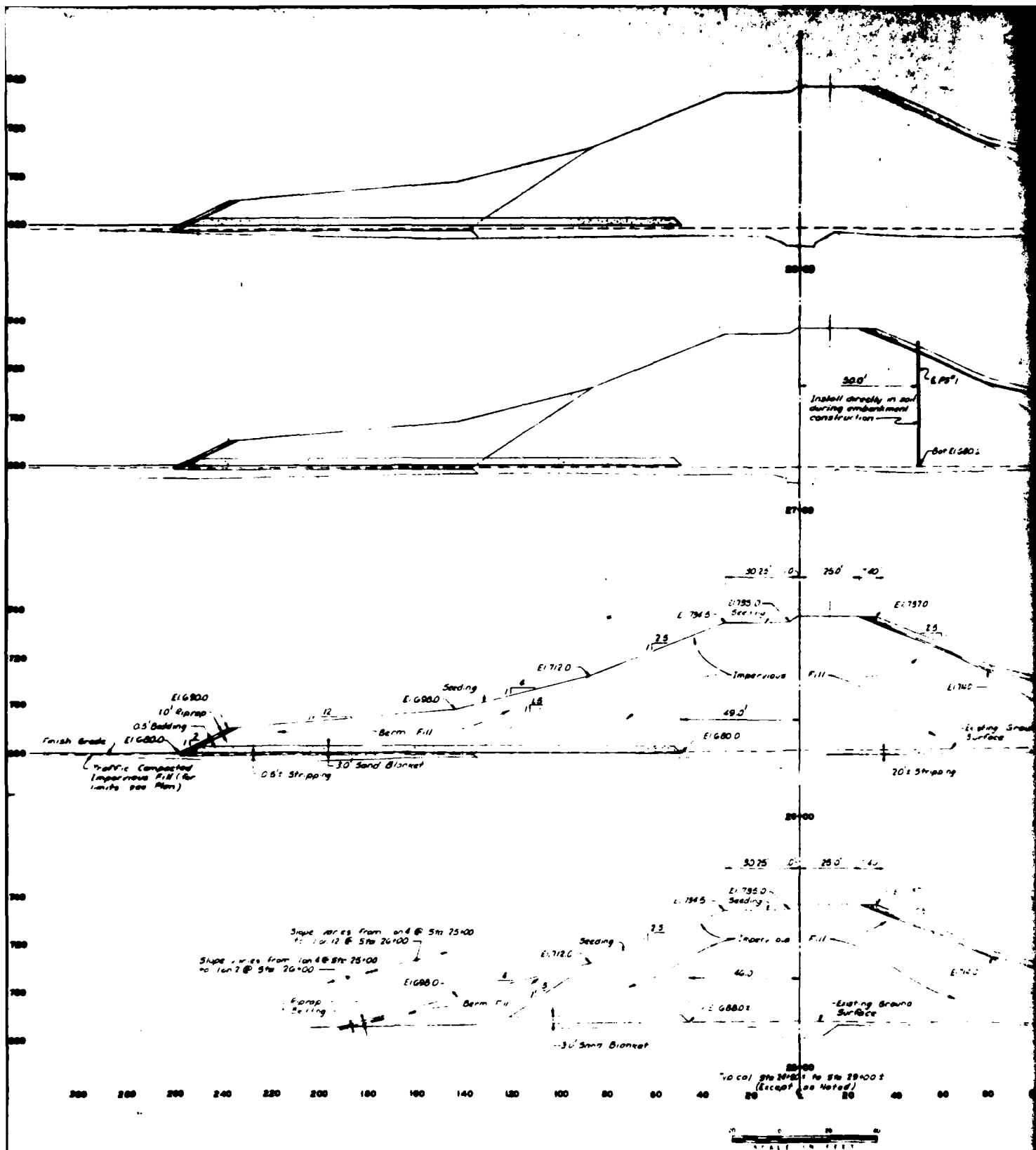
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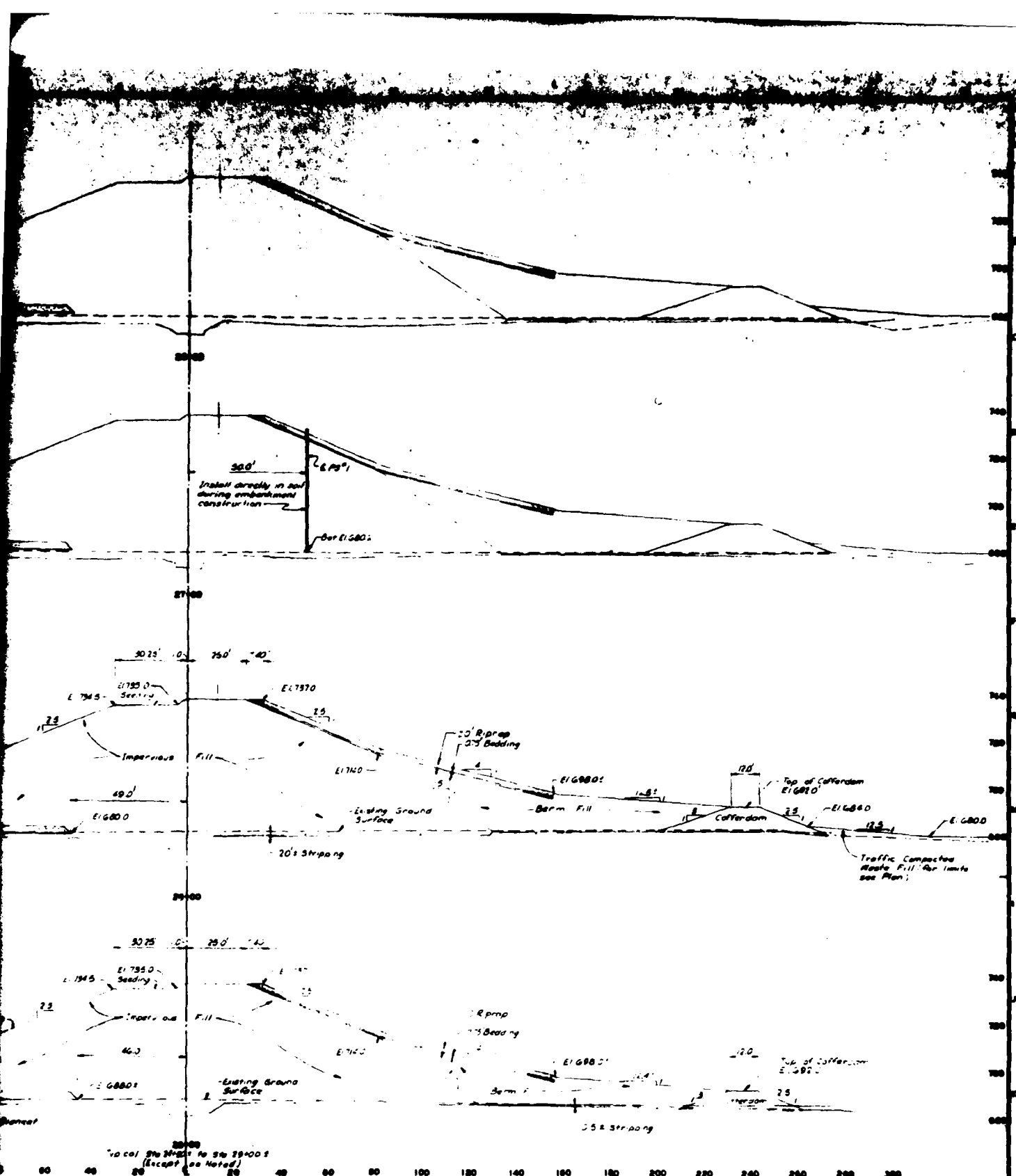


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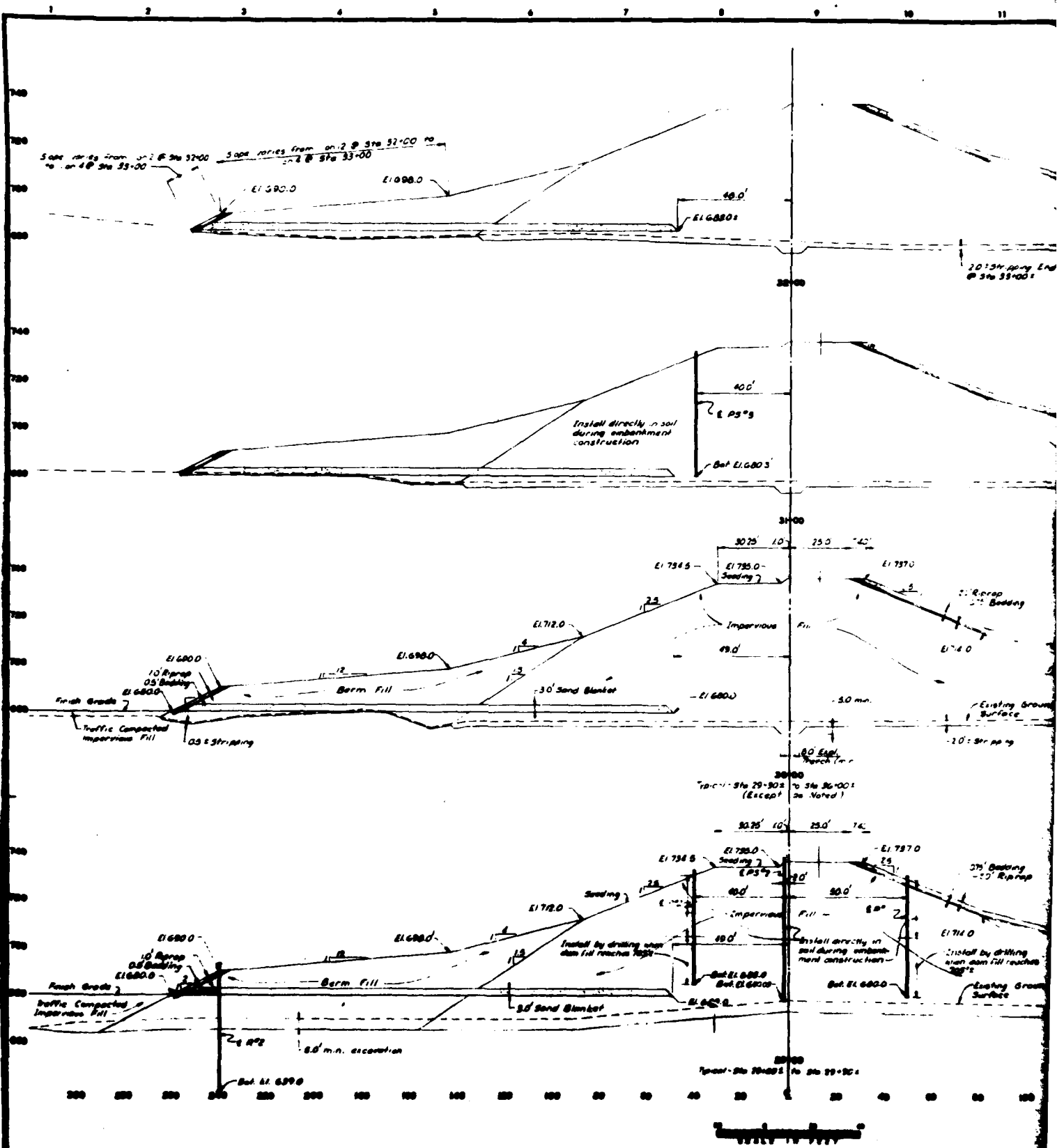
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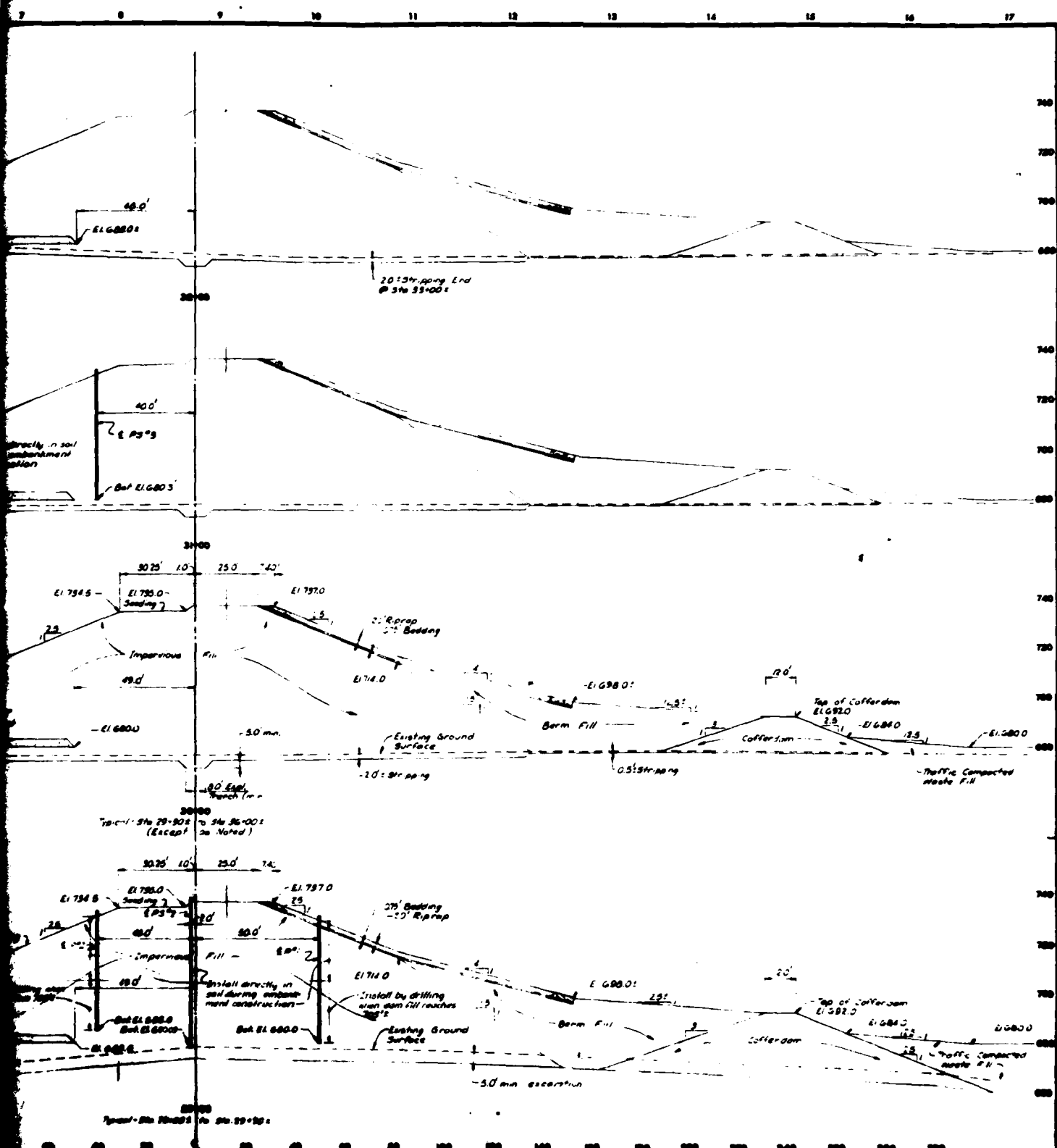


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PROJECT NO. 1 - THUNDER HILL PLANT	
ASSOCIATED ELECTRIC COOPERATIVE	
MEMBER NO. 23	
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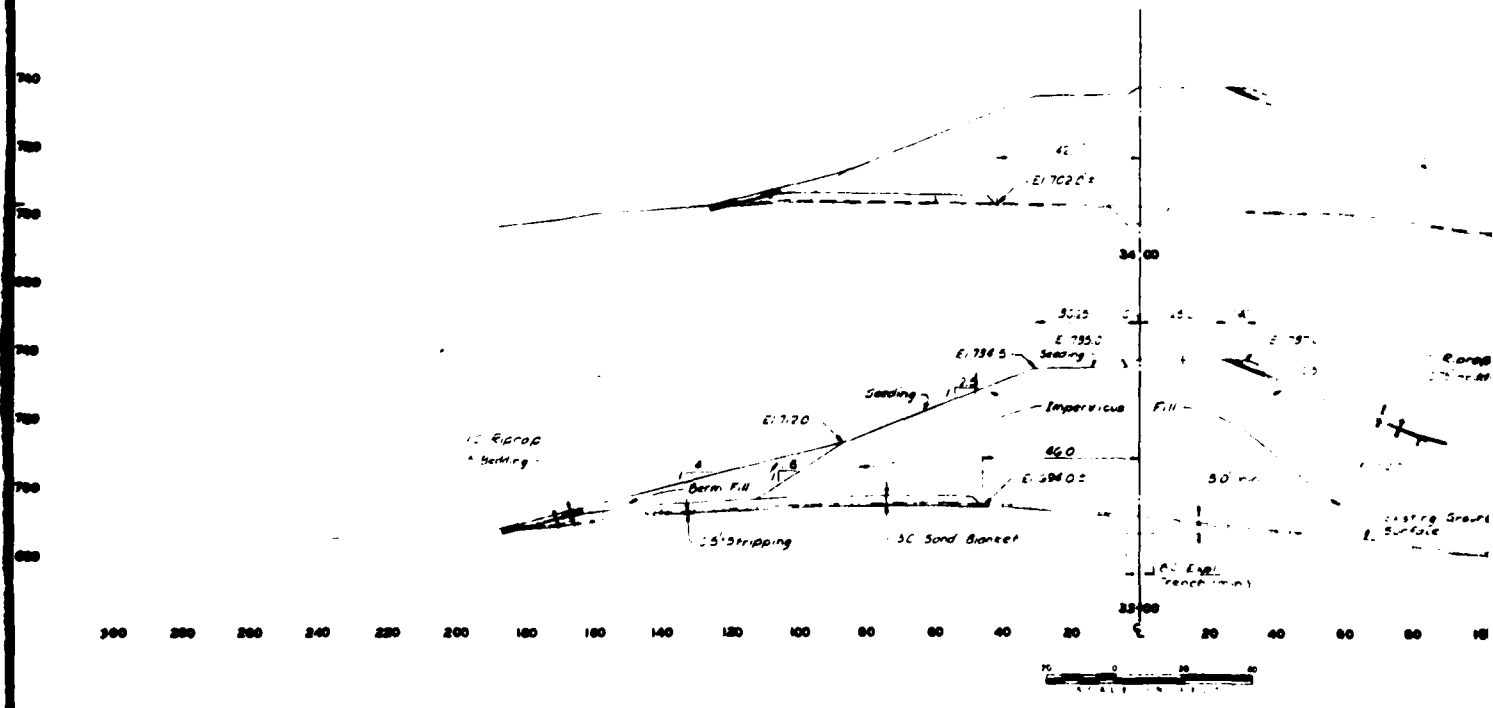
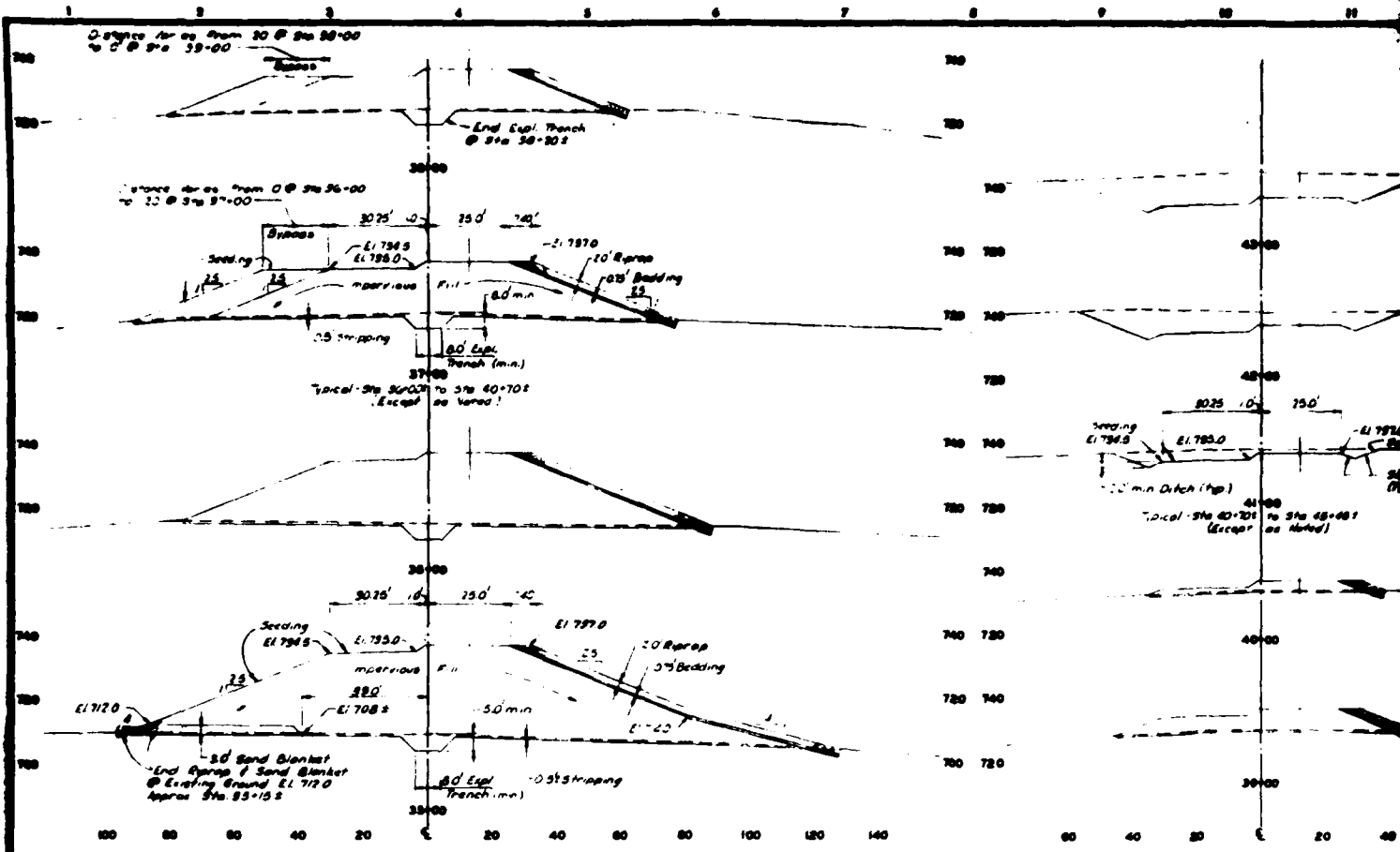


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15' NTB

12.5' NTB

Curbs from 2' to
Sta 21+00 to Sta 25+00
6 Sta 25+00
2' From Sta 20+00
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Seeding

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DETAIL - TOP OF DAM
Sta 21+00 to Sta 25+00

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DAM DIMENSIONS

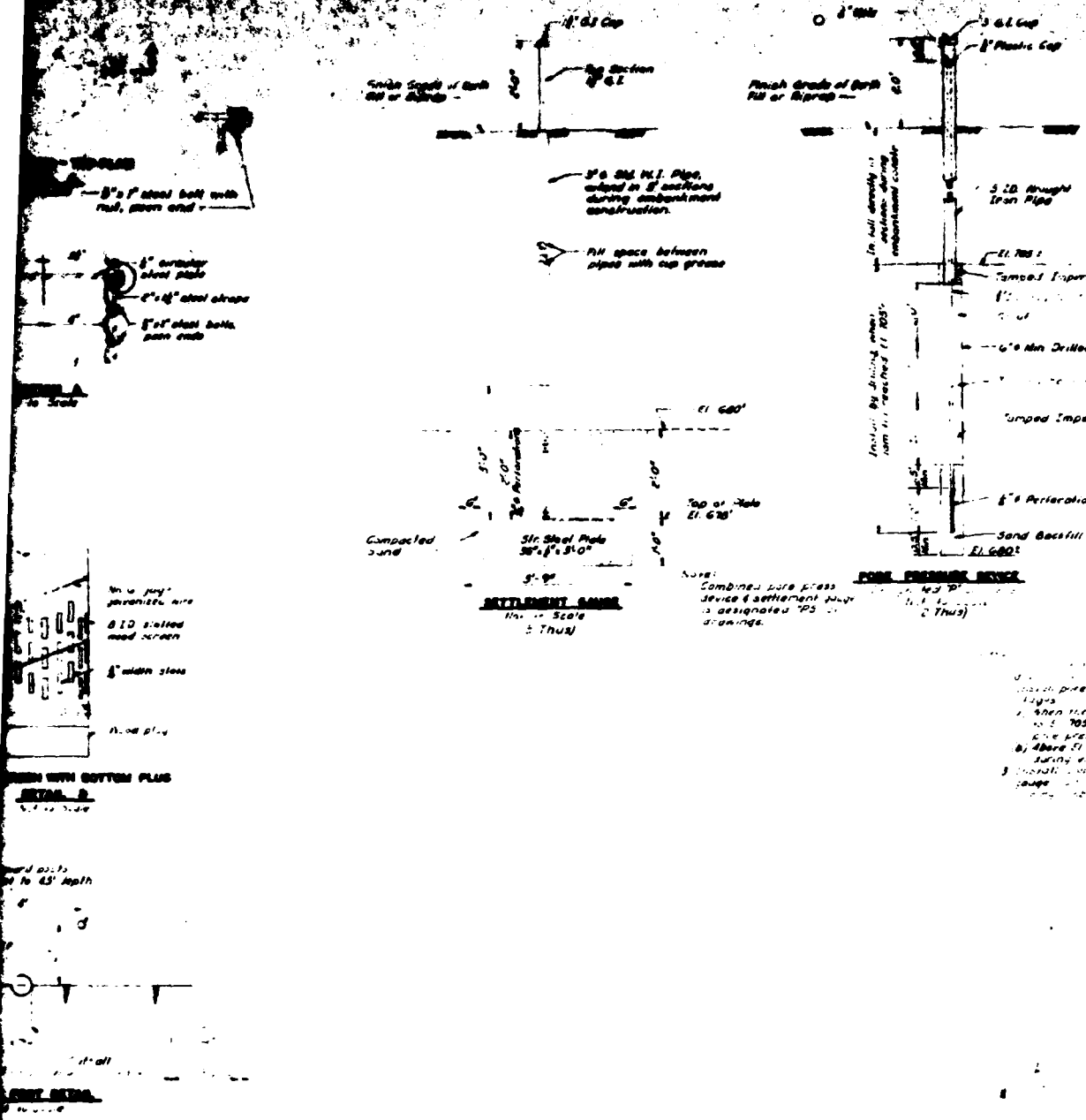
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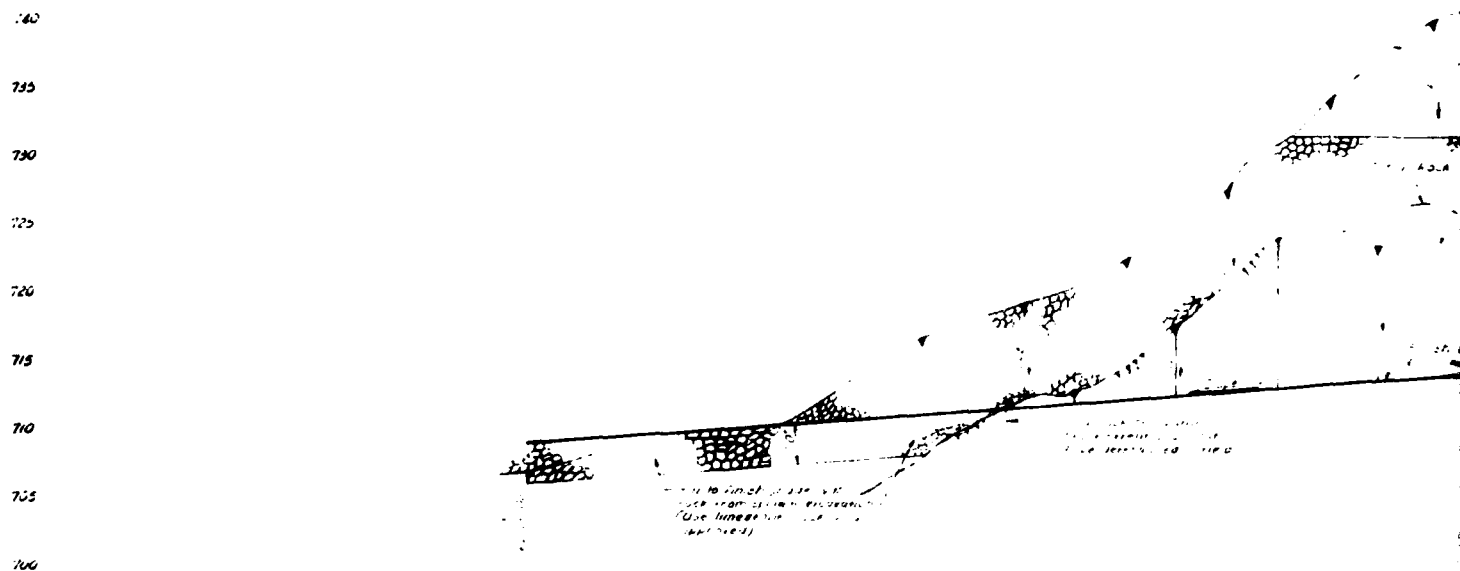
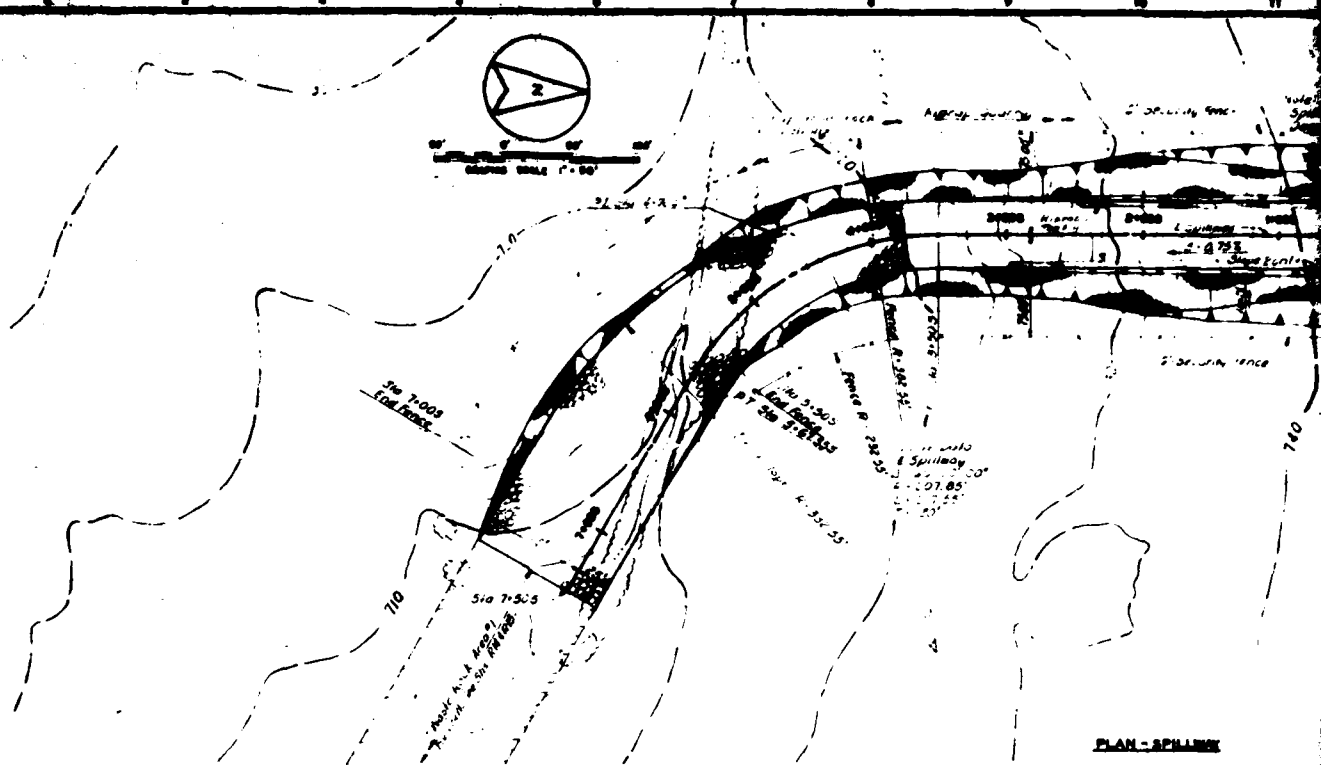


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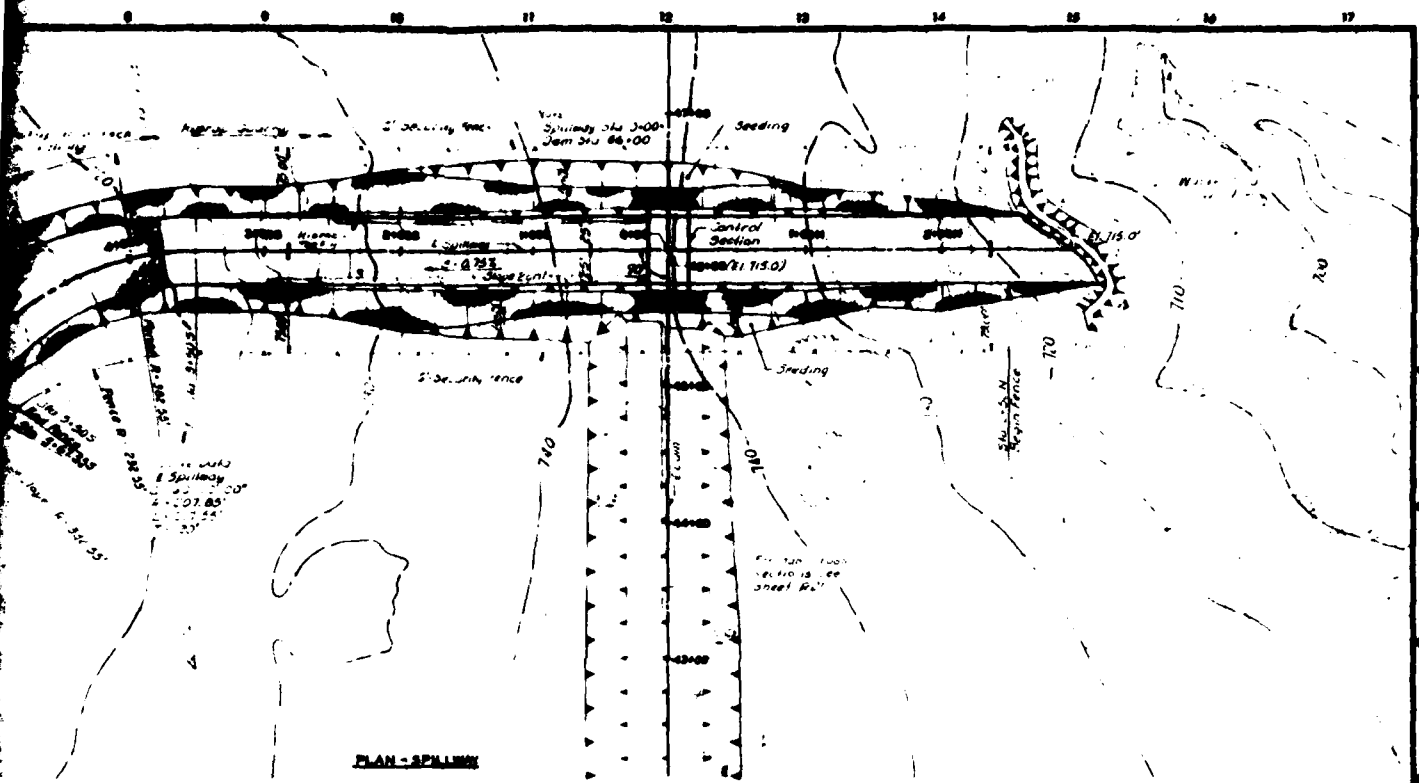
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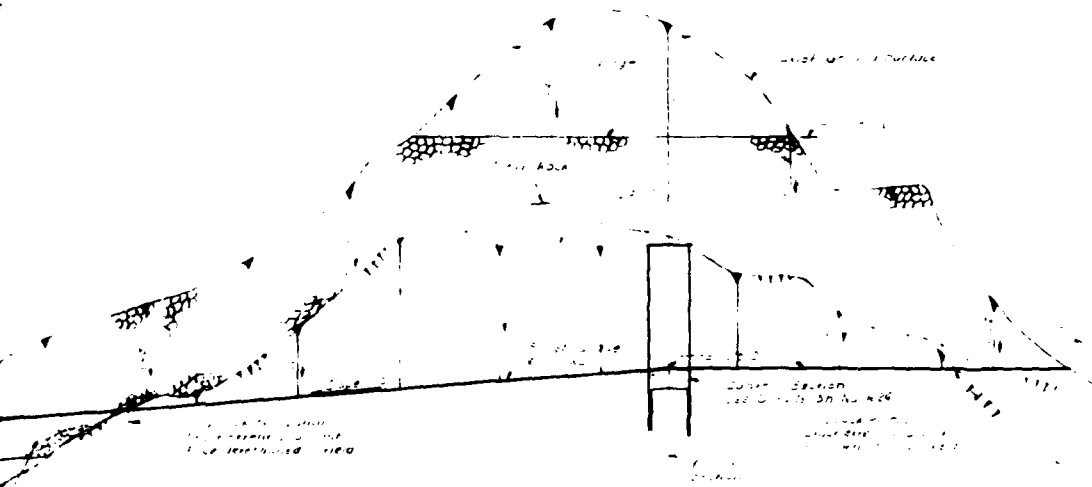
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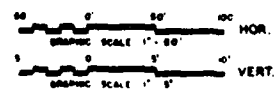
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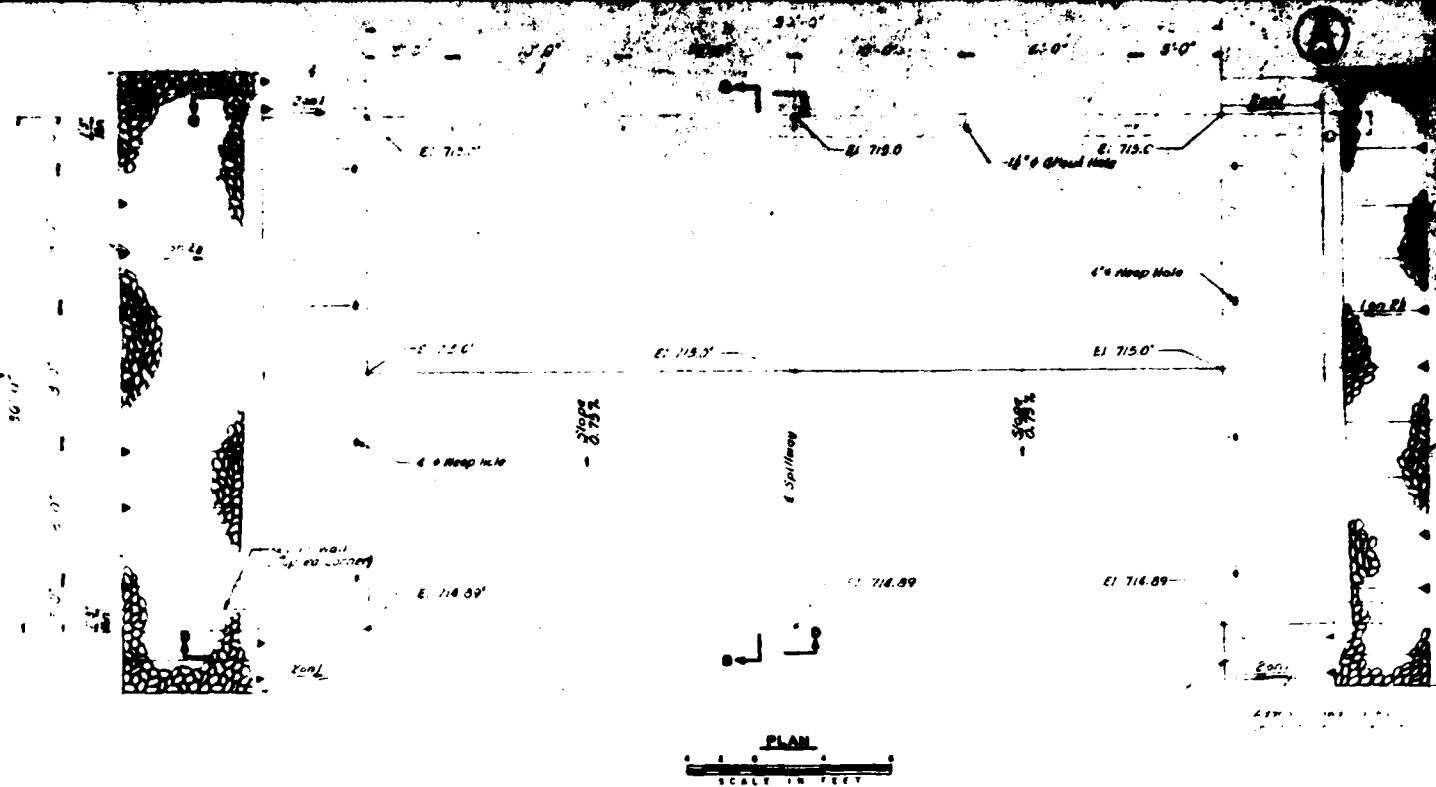
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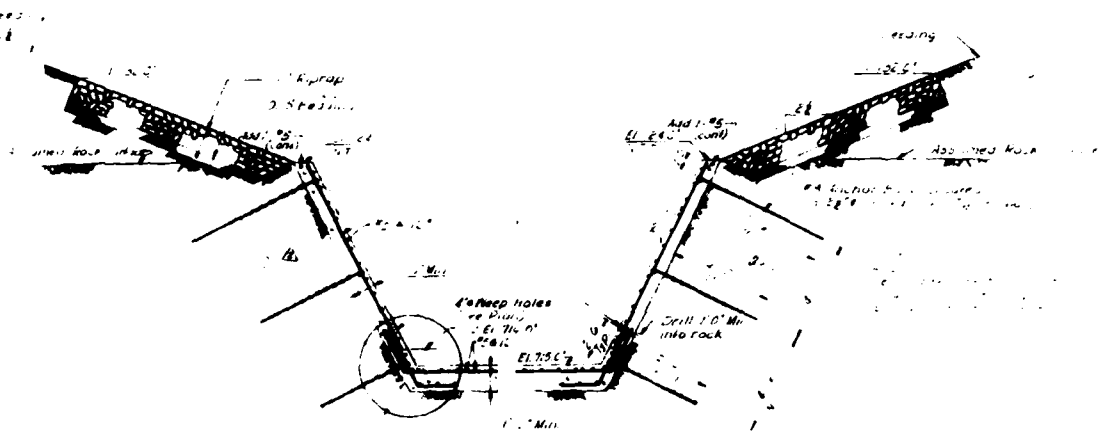
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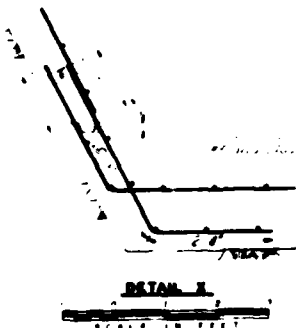
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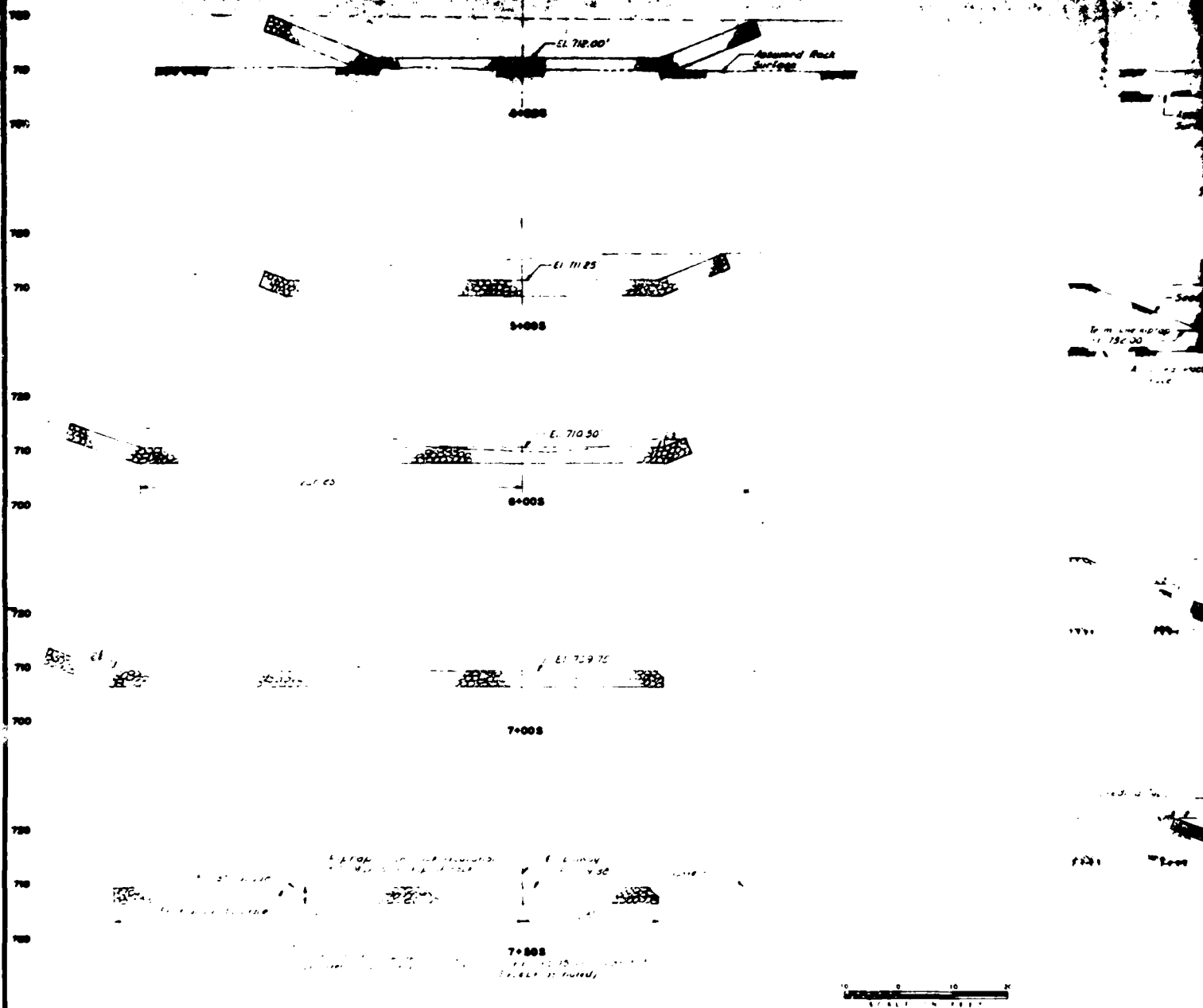
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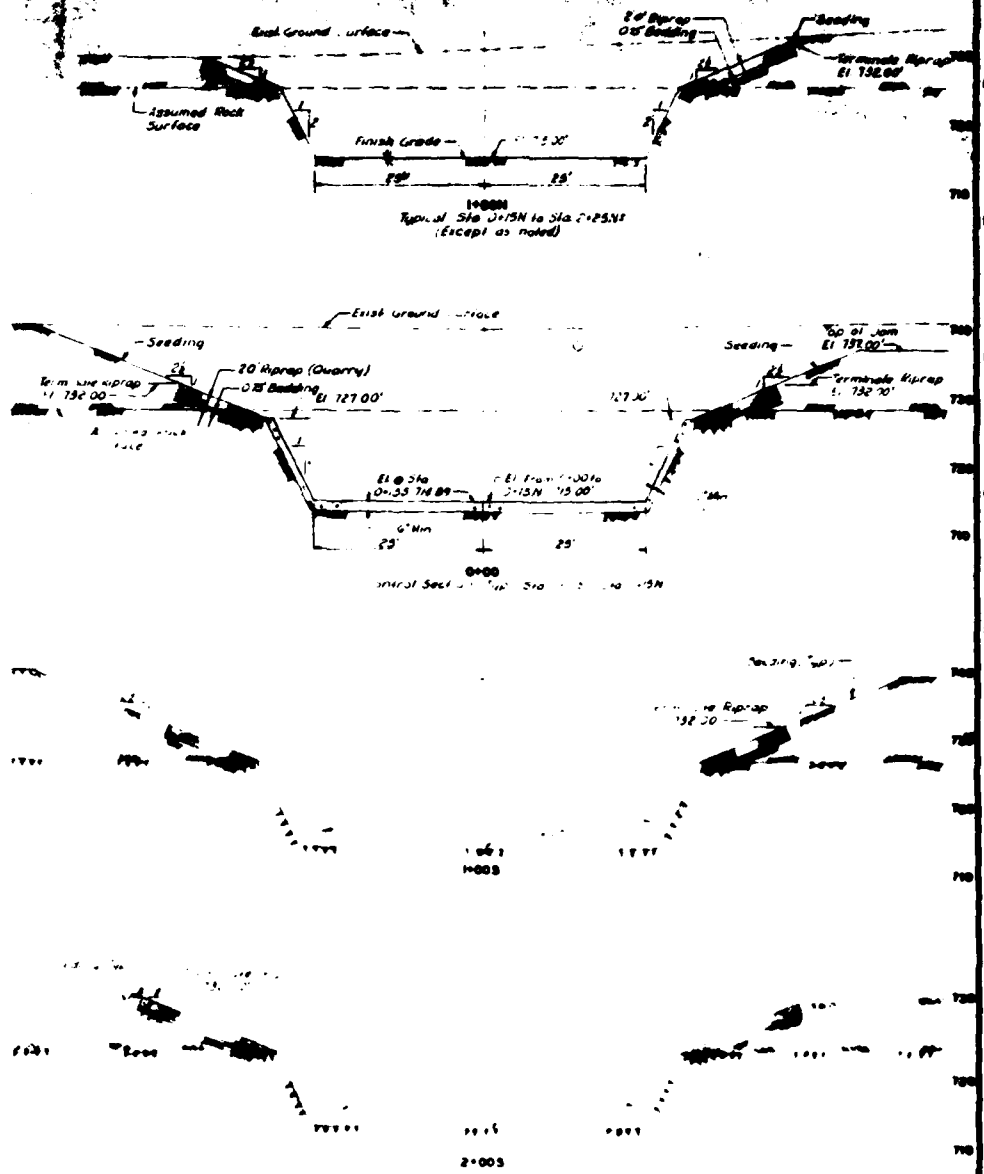


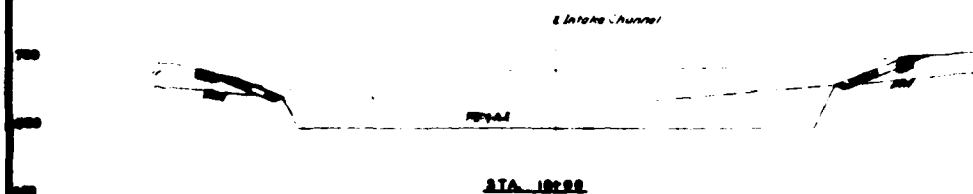
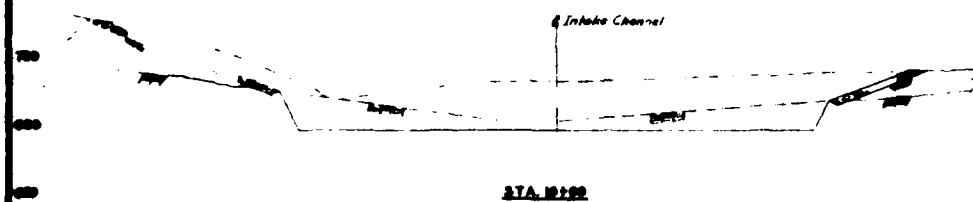
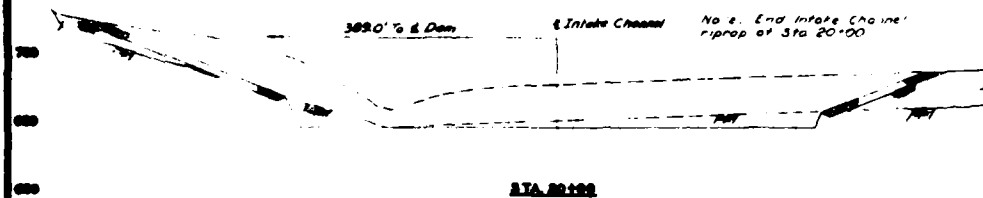
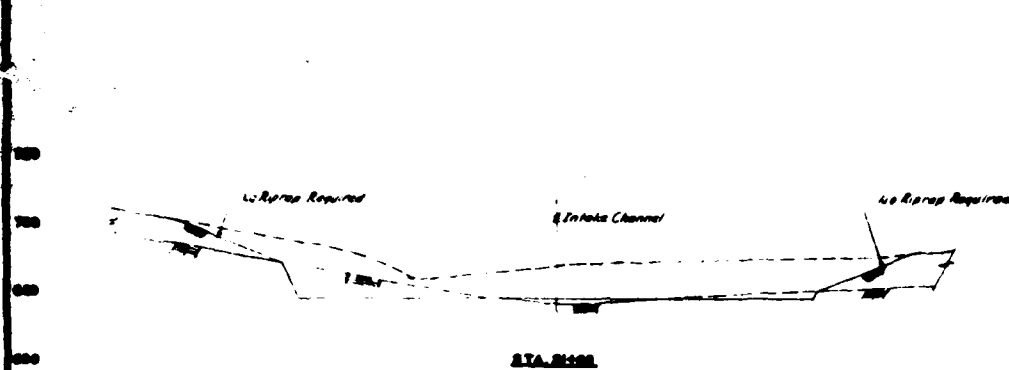
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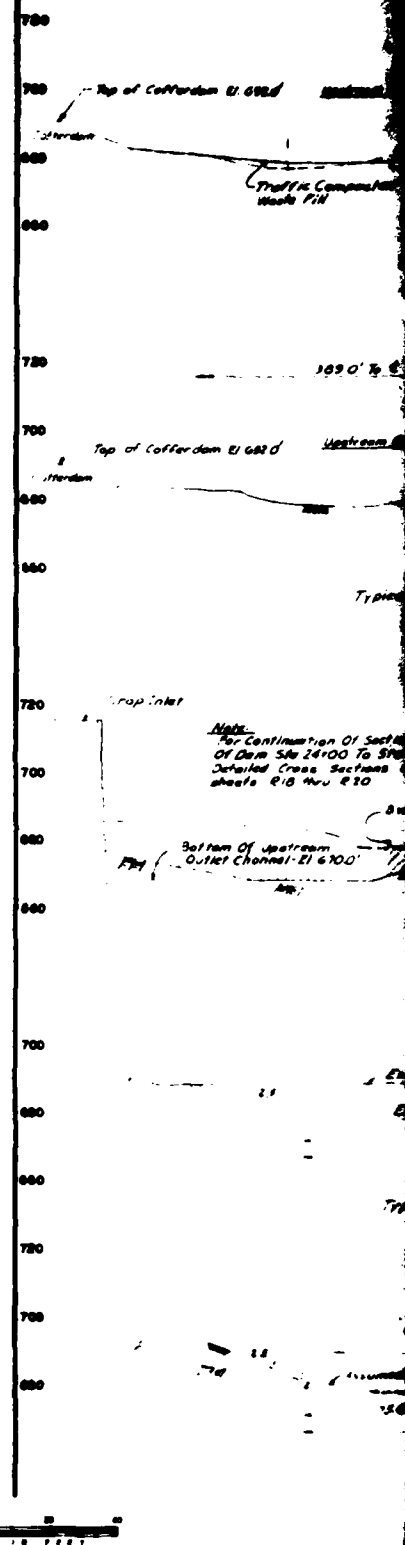
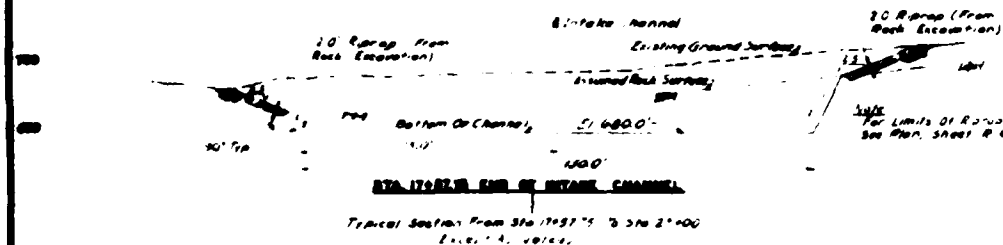
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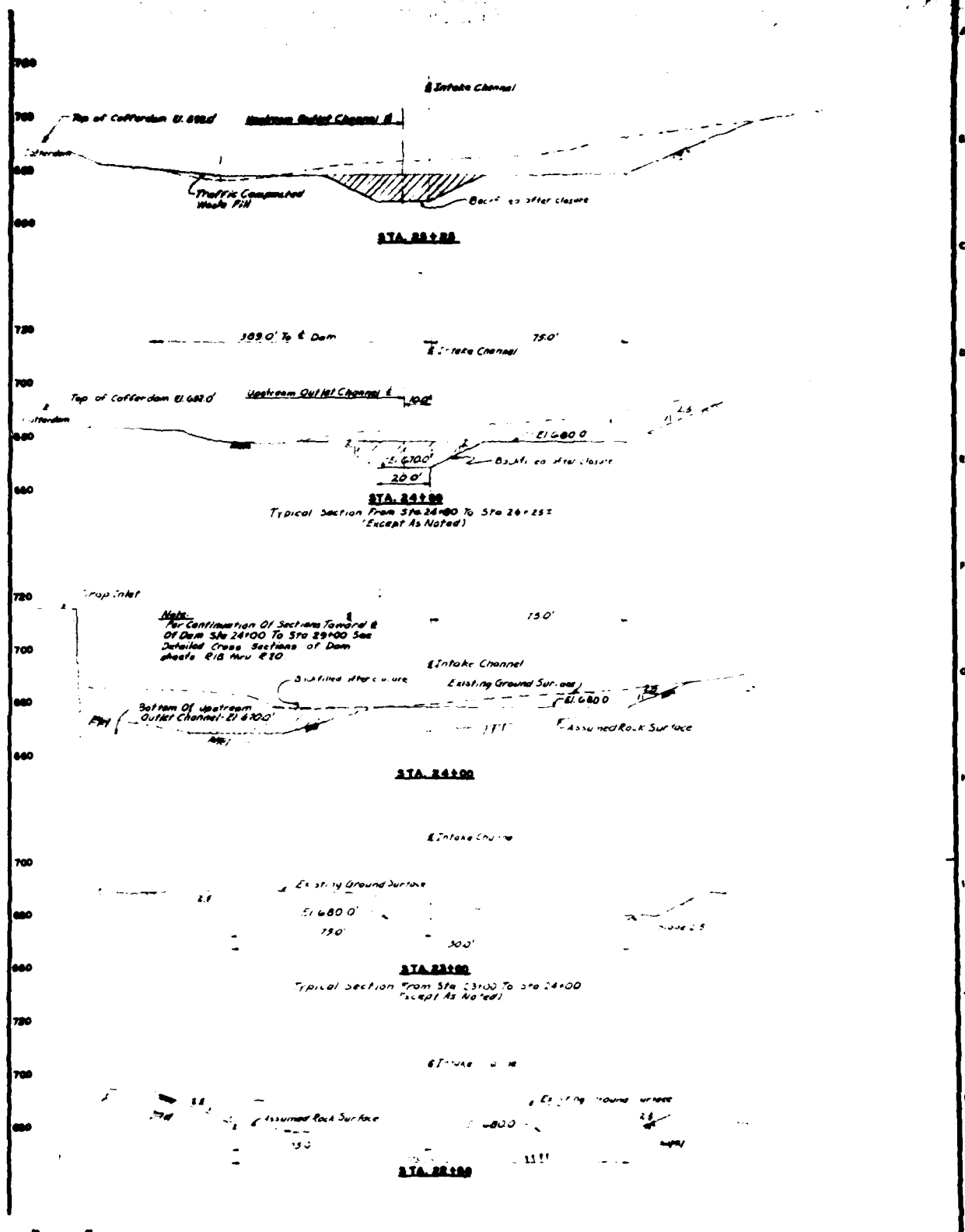


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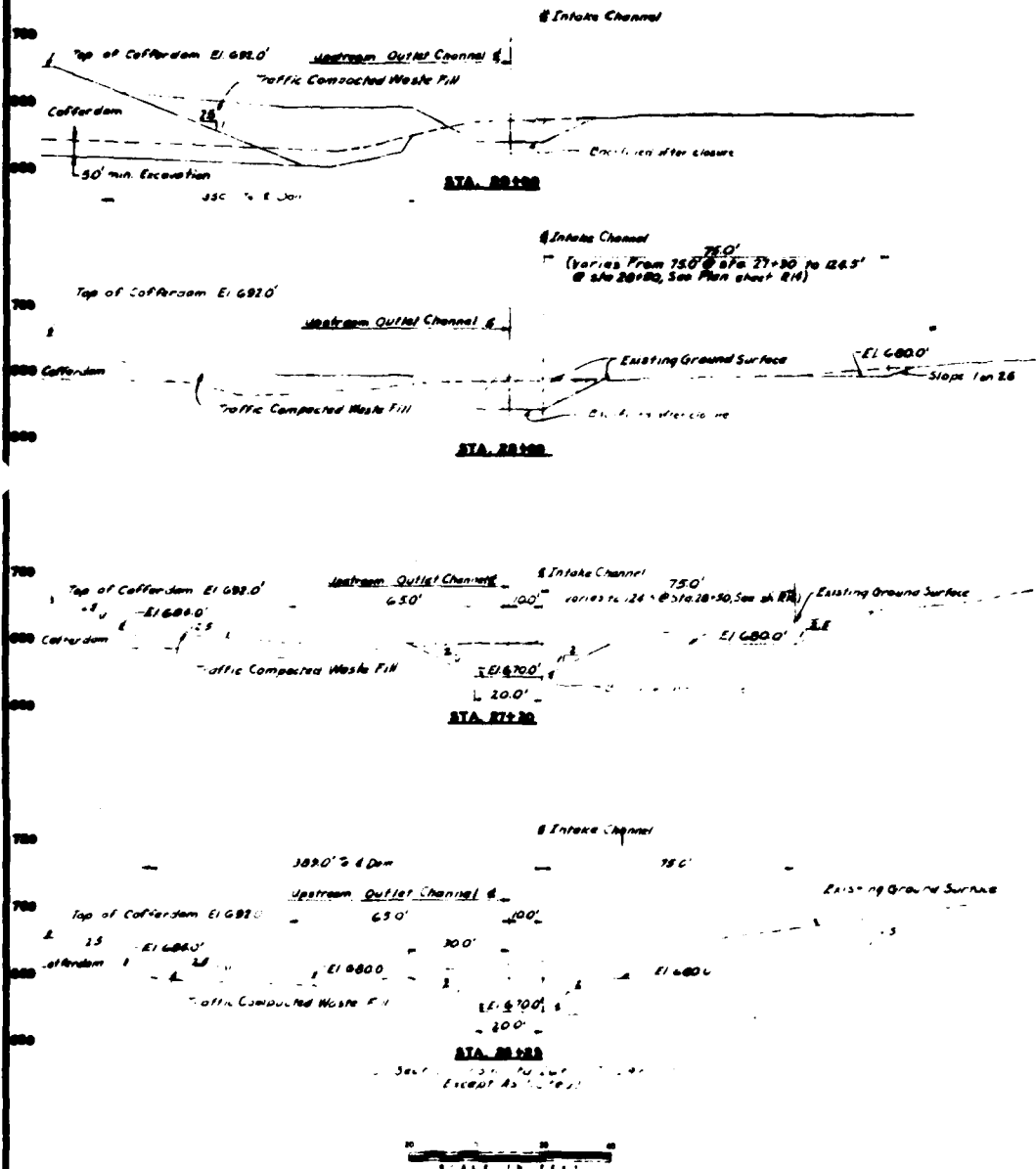


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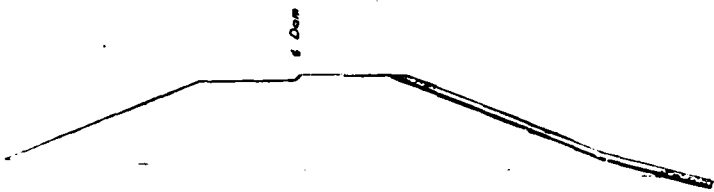
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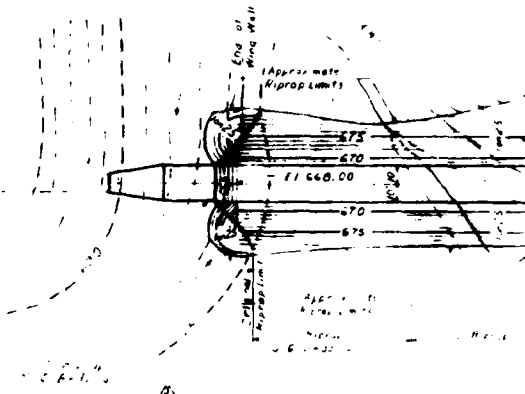


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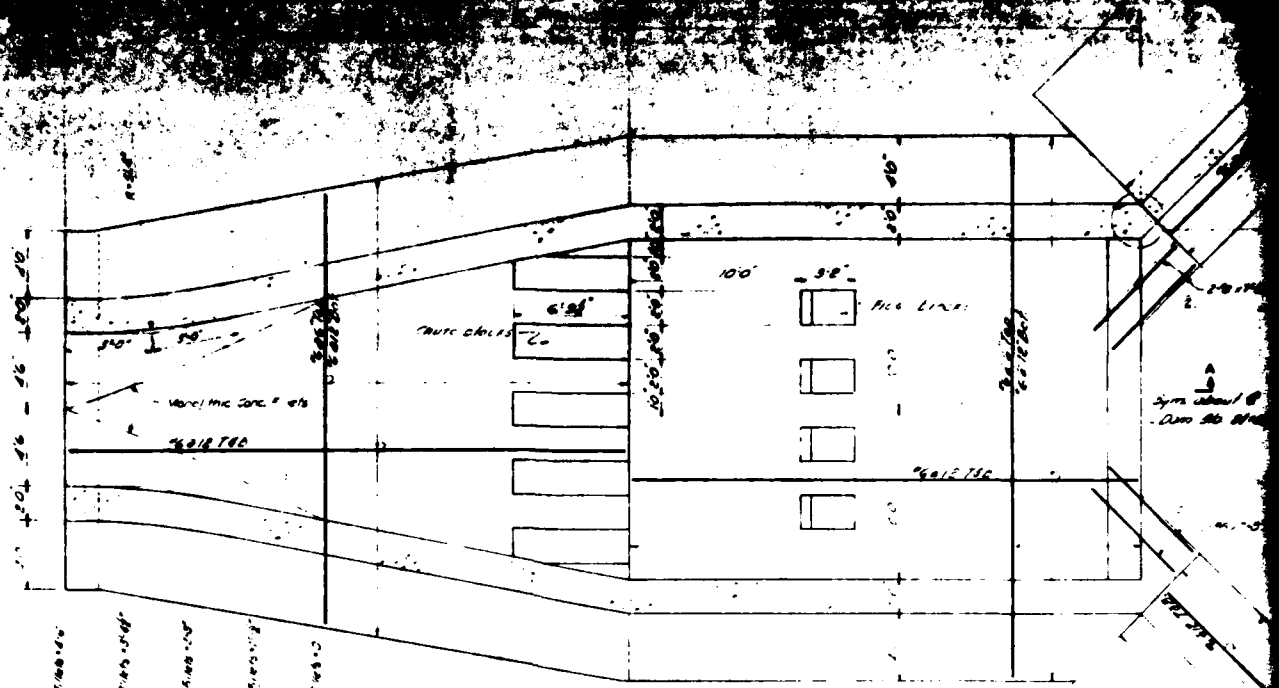
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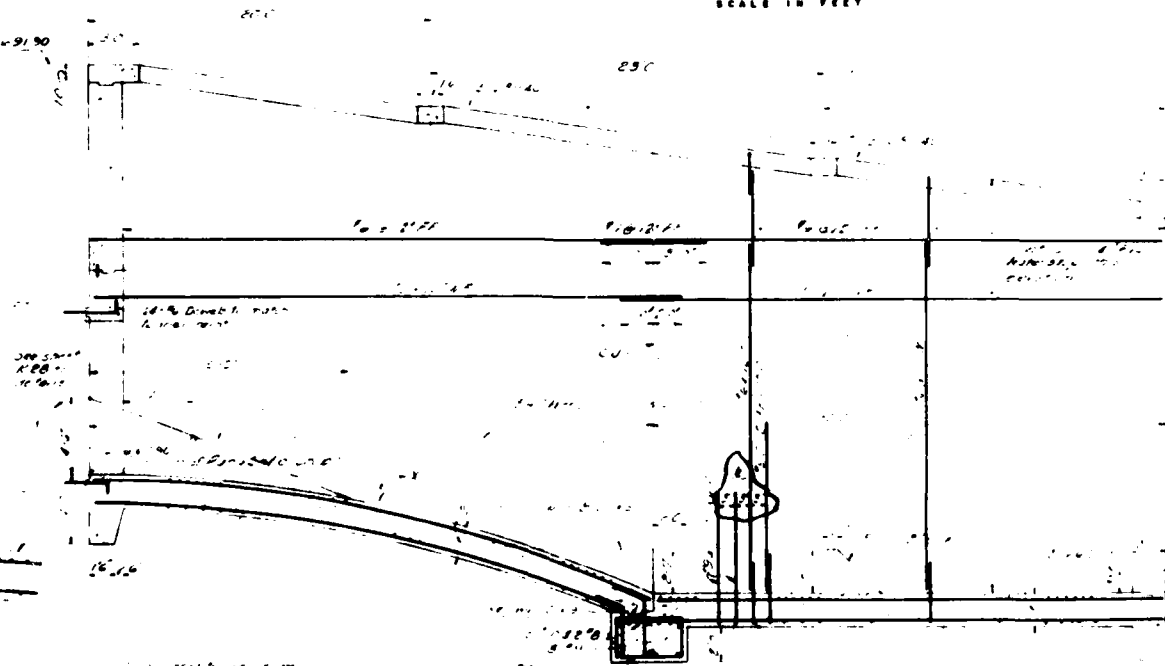


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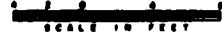


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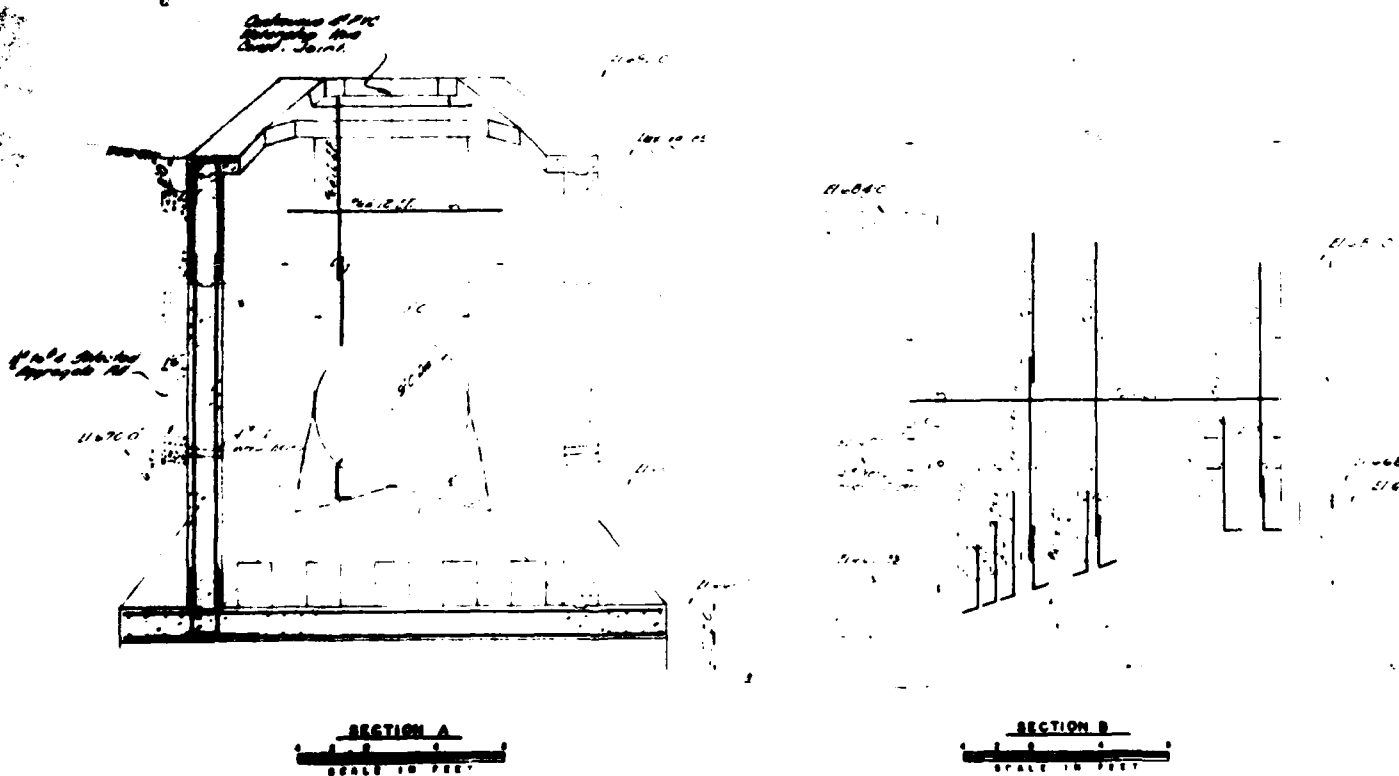
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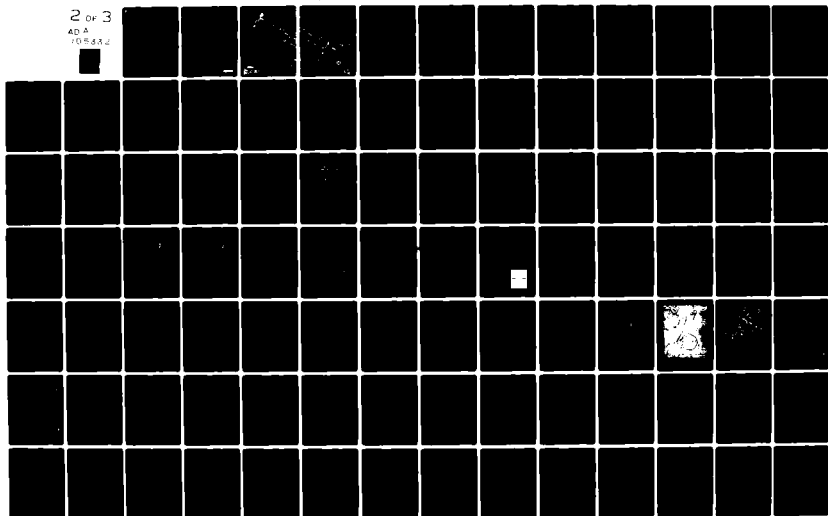
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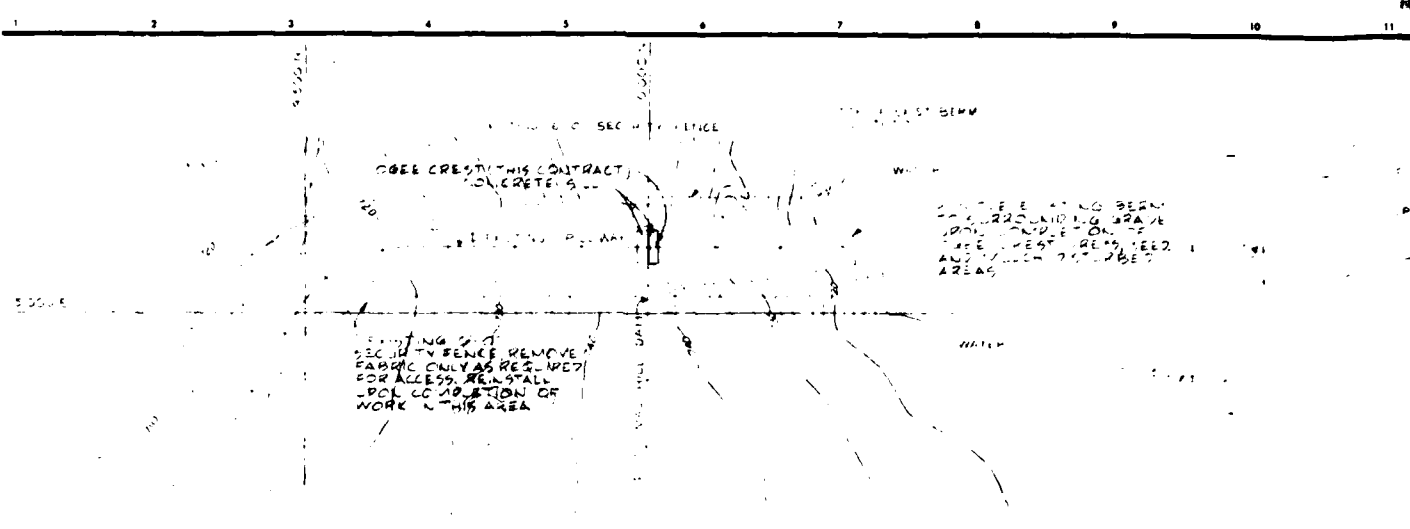
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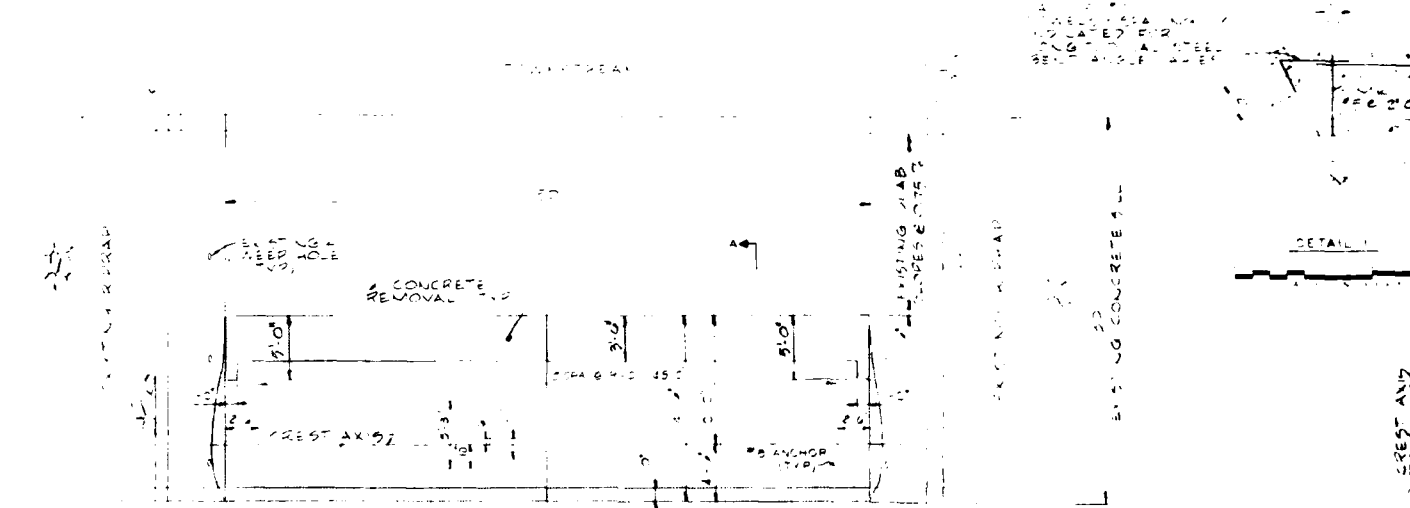
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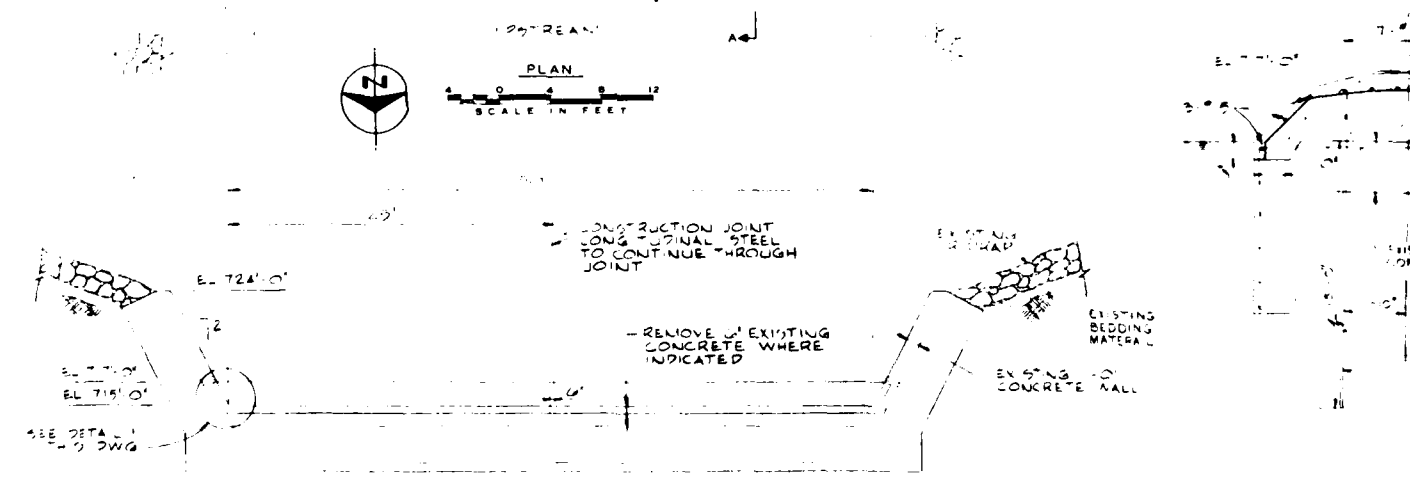




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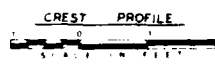
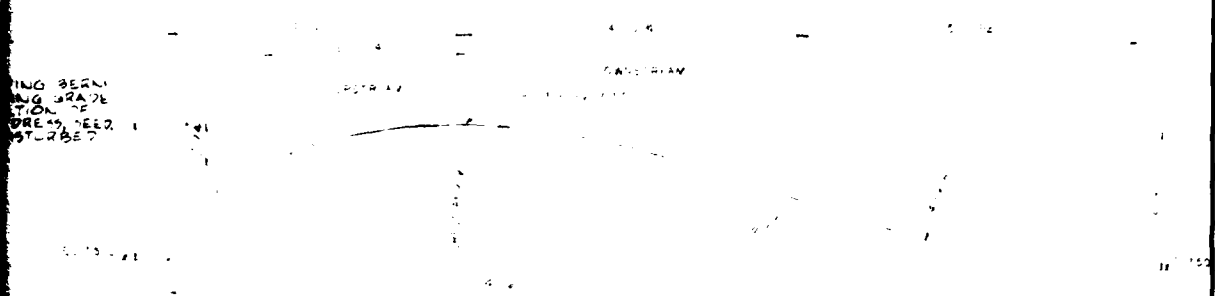
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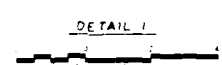
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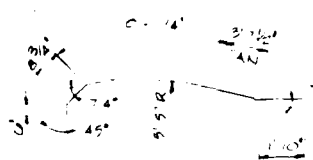


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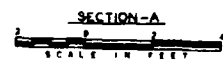
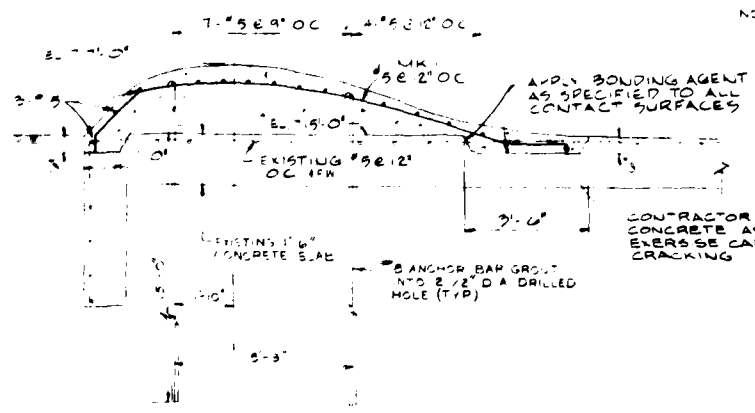
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THOMAS HILL DAM
SPILLWAY MODIFICATION
CONTRACT NO. 311
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THOMAS HILL POWER PLANT
UNIT NO. 3
ASSOCIATED ELECTRIC COOPERATIVE
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Burns & McDonnell

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*Few Small Trees
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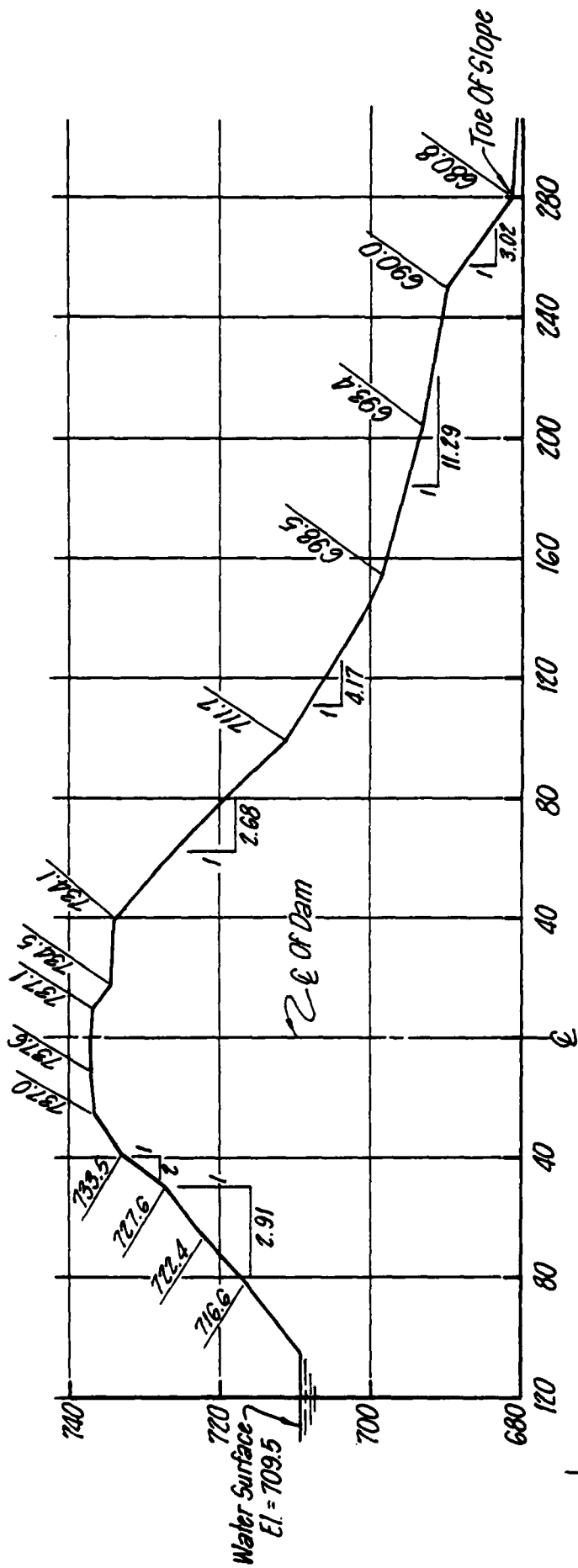
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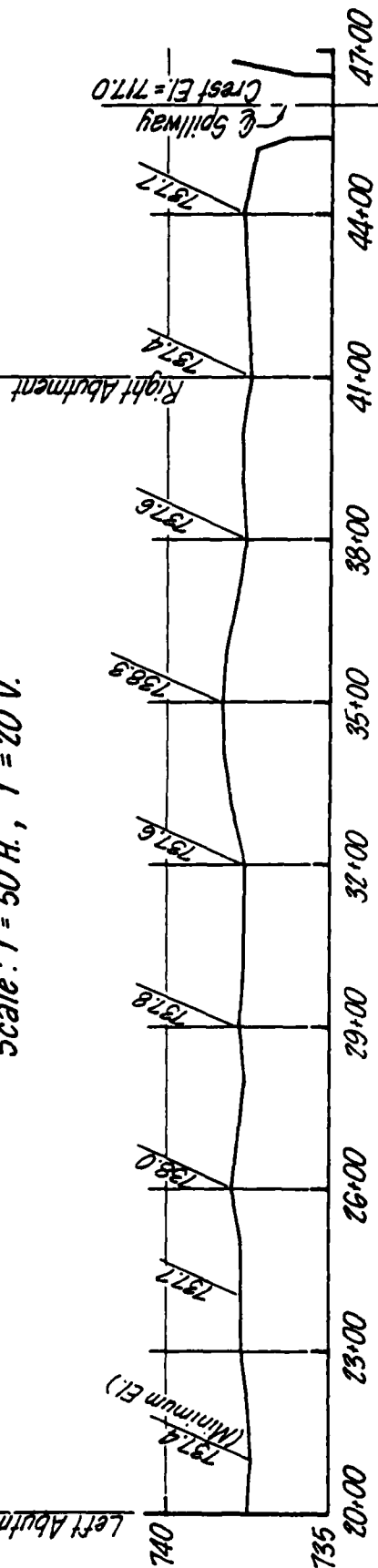
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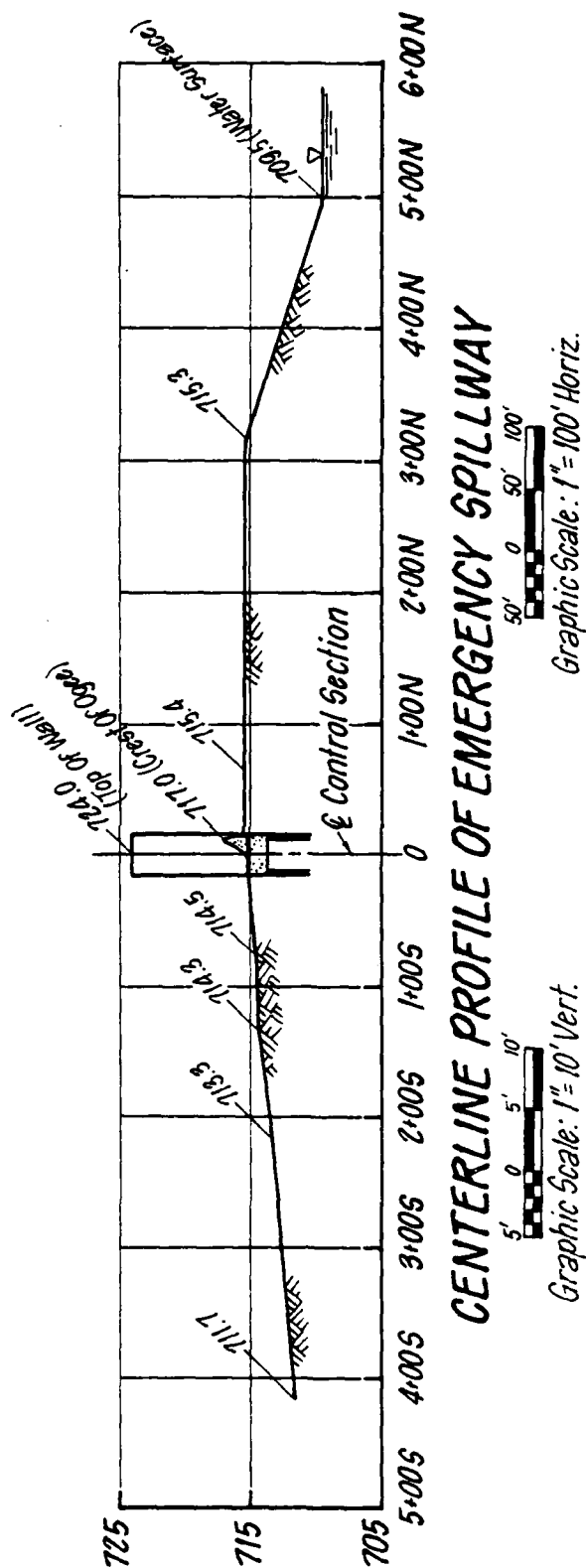
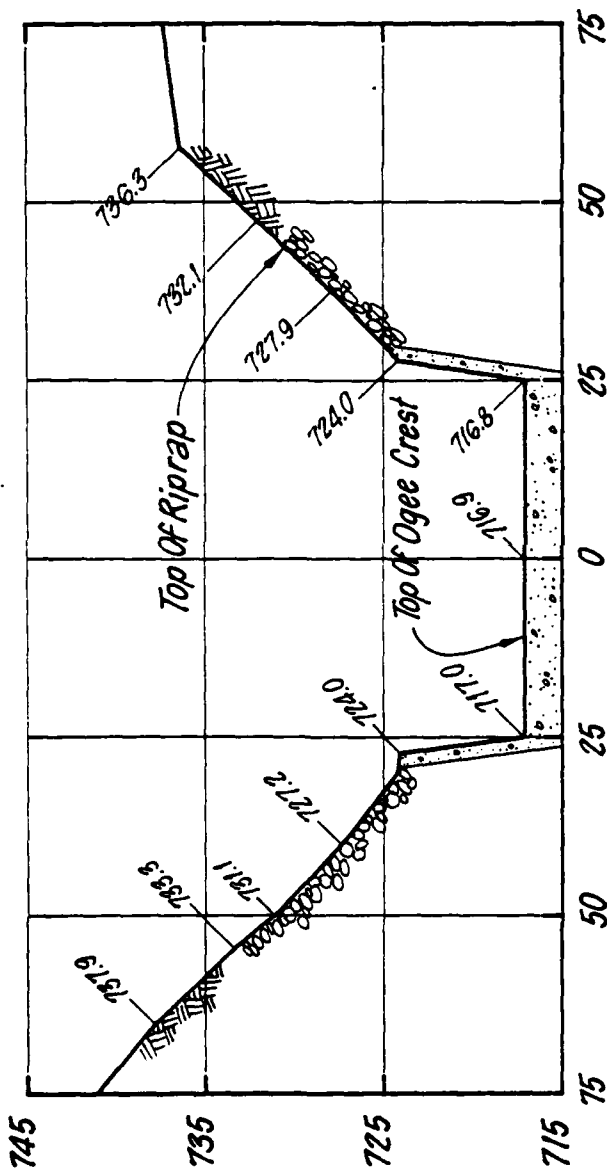
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PROFILE ALONG CENTERLINE OF DAM

Scale: 1" = 300' H., 1" = 5' V.



APPENDIX D
HYDRAULIC AND HYDROLOGIC DATA

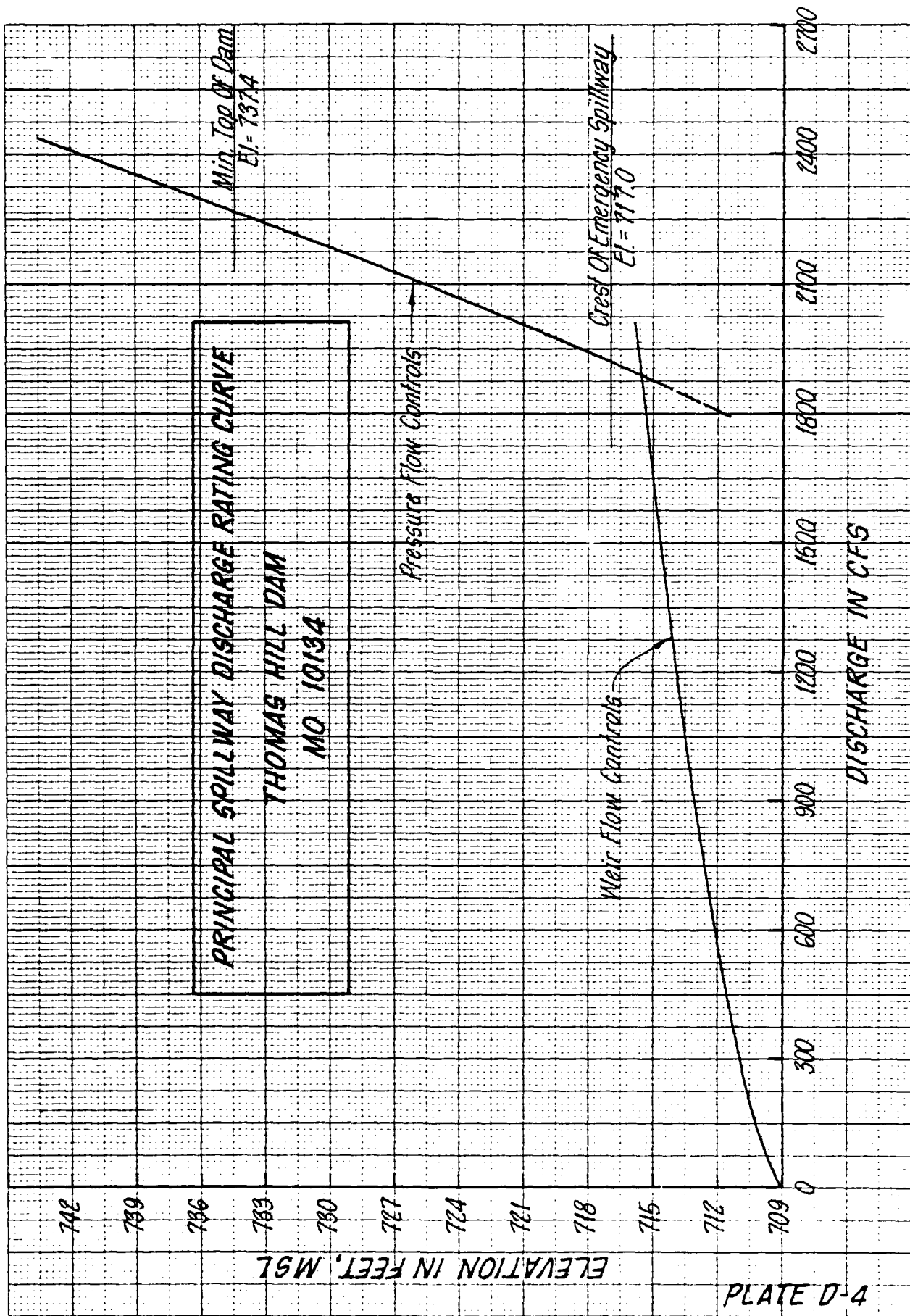
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1. The SCS dimensionless unit hydrograph and the systemized computer program HEC-1 (Dam Safety Version), July 1978, prepared by the Hydrologic Engineering Center, U.S. Corps of Engineers, Davis, California, were used to develop the inflow hydrographs (See this Section).
 - a. Forty-eight hour, 1 percent probability rainfall for the dam location was taken from the data for the rainfall station at Moberly, Missouri as supplied by the St. Louis District, Corps of Engineers during a Hydraulic/Hydrologic Training Conference on 30 April, 1980. The forty-eight hour probable maximum precipitation was taken from the curves of Hydrometeorological Report No. 33 and current Corps of Engineers and St. Louis policy and guidance for hydraulics and hydrology.
 - b. Drainage area = 147 square miles (94,080 acres).
 - c. Time of concentration of runoff = 35 hours. The time of concentration was computed assuming the relationship $lag = 0.6 \times (\text{Time of Concentration})$ with $lag = 21$ hours (from "Hydrologic Report" by Burns and McDonnell). The time of concentration was verified by breaking the watercourse length into 9 segments and computing time of concentration by the "Kirpich" method. This resulted in a time of concentration of 32 hours.
 - d. The antecedent storm conditions for the probable maximum precipitation were heavy rainfall and low temperatures which occurred on the previous 5 days (SCS AMC III). The antecedent storm conditions for the 1 percent probability precipitation were an average of the conditions which have preceded the occurrence of the maximum annual flood on numerous watersheds (SCS AMC II). The initial pool elevation was assumed at the crest of the riser. No antecedent storm was required due to the utilization of the forty-eight hour storm.
 - e. The total forty-eight hour storm duration losses for the 1 percent probability storm were 2.14 inches. The total losses for the PMF storm were 1.02 inches. These data are based on SCS runoff curve No. 82 and No. 92 for antecedent moisture conditions SCS AMC II and AMC III respectively. The watershed is composed of primarily SCS hydrologic soil groups B, C and D. Wabash silty clay (D) and Blackoak silt loam (C) soil groups are located on the floodplain and lower slopes and consist of approximately 19 percent of the watershed. Land use is primarily cultivated crops (straight row). Lindley loam (C) and Goss cherty silt loam (B) are located on the hillsides and consist of approximately 40% of the watershed with land use in pasture (approximately 90 percent) and timber (approximately 10 percent). The uplands and ridges consist of Armstrong loam (D) and Leonard silt loam (D) with land use being primarily small grain (straight row).

- f. Average soil loss rates = 0.02 inches per hour approximately.
(for PMF storm, AMC III).
2. The combined discharge rating consisted of three components: the flow through the principal or service spillway, the flow through the emergency spillway and the flow going over the top of the dam.
- a. The principal spillway was developed by using the weir, orifice, and full conduit flow equations:
- (1) Weir flow equation ($Q_w = CLH^{1.5}$)
 where C = weir coefficient = 3.1 (SCS Engr. Memo 50)
 L = length of weir, ft. = 36
 H = total head, ft. (Pool elevation - 709.0)
 - (2) Orifice equation for 8-inch diameter pipe sleeve ($Q_o = CA\sqrt{2gH}$)
 where C = orifice equation = 0.6
 A = area of opening, ft.² = 0.35
 H = total head, ft. (Pool elevation - 688.0)
 - (3) Full conduit flow equation ($Q = a\sqrt{\frac{2gh}{1+K_e+K_b+K_pL}}$)
 where a = area of conduit, ft.² = 63.62
 L = length of conduit, ft. = 515
 K_p = coefficient for conduit friction loss = $\frac{5100n^2}{D^{4.75}} = 0.002231$
 where n=0.015 and D is the diameter in inches (From V.T. Chow's Handbook of Applied Hydrology, page 21-64)
 K_e = coefficient for entrance loss = 0.50
 (from V.T. Chow's Handbook of Applied Hydrology, page 21-64)
 K_b = coefficient for bend loss = 0.45
 (from V.T. Chow's Handbook of Applied Hydrology, page 21-64)
 h = total head, ft. (Pool elevation - 673.3)
 - (4) In determining the principal rating curve, the 36-inch diameter sluice gate was assumed to be closed due to the fact that an operator may not be on hand at the time of storm.
 - (5) Weir flow over the riser and orifice flow thru the 8-inch diameter pipe sleeve control until pool elevation rises above 715+ at which time the conduit controls the discharge.
- b. The emergency spillway ratings were developed using the method outlined in example 1, procedure 1, page 379 of Design of Small Dams by the Bureau of Reclamation for uncontrolled overflow ogee crests.
- (1) The method uses the basic weir flow equation: $Q = CLH^{1.5}$
 where C = weir coefficient derived from a design head (H_o) of 17 feet and adjusted for the depth of approach, relation of actual crest shape to ideal mappe shape, upstream face slope, downstream apron interference, and downstream submergence.
 (C varied from 2.90 to 3.15)

L = weir length, ft. = 50
H = total head, ft.

- (2) The approach channel losses were included in the computations assuming friction loss through the channel (Mannings "n" = 0.035) and assuming an entrance loss = 0.1 (approach velocity head).
 - c. The flows over the dam were developed using the dam overtopping analysis (Flow over non-level dam crest) within the HEC-1 (Dam Safety Version) program.
3. Floods were routed through the reservoir using the HEC-1 (Dam Safety Version) program to determine the capabilities of the spillway and dam embankment crest. The input, output, and plotted hydrographs are attached in this section.



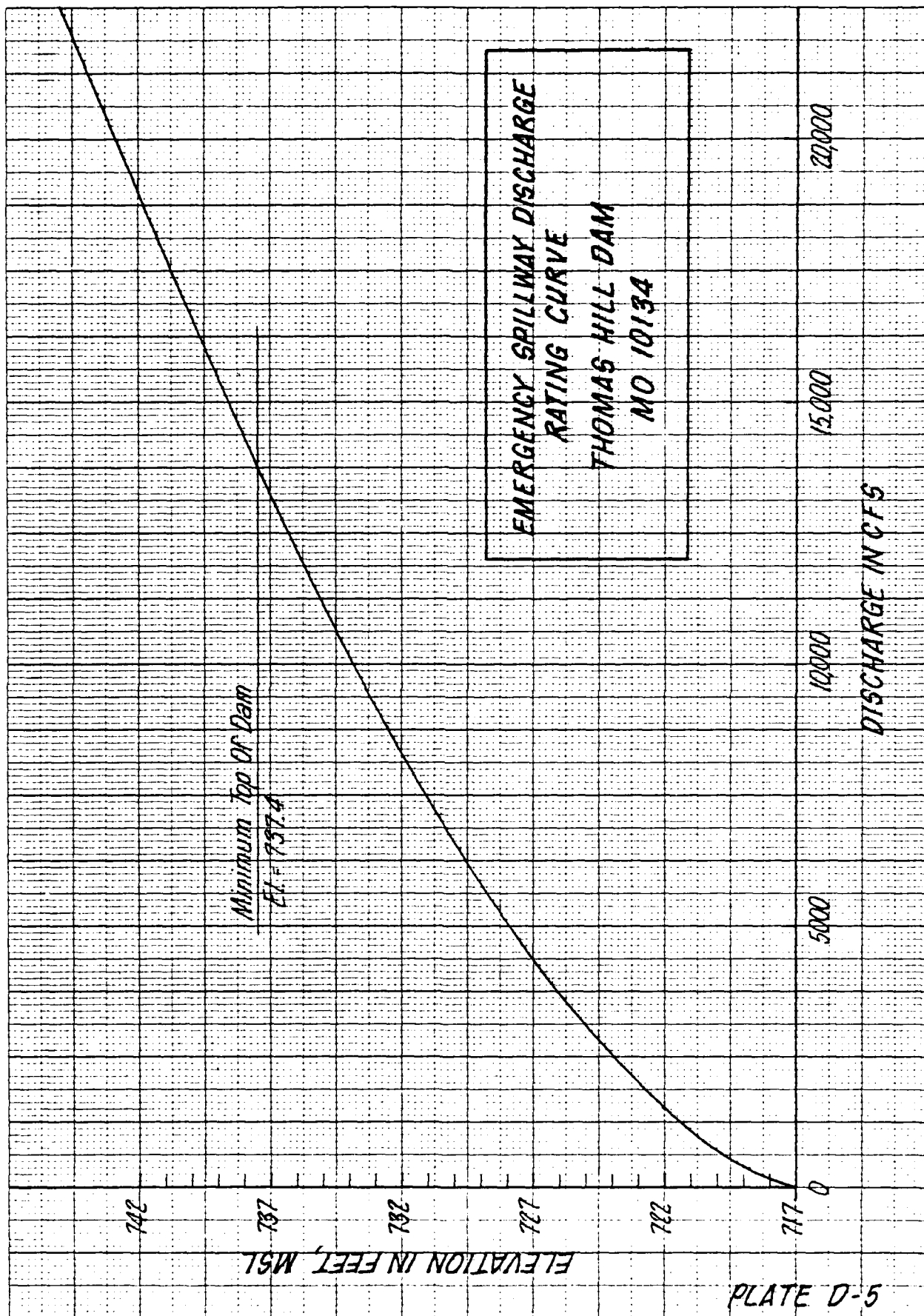


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 FLOW HYDROGRAPH FOR THE 1000 TO 10000
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ANALYSIS OF DAM OVERFLOWING USING RATIOS OF FIVE
 HIGH ANALYSIS OF SAFETY OF DAMS WITH DAM NO 10134
 RATIOS OF FIVE DURING THROUGH THE RESERVOIR

DAM SPECIFICATION									
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MULTI-PLAN ANALYSIS TO BE PERFORMED
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RTIOS= .50 1.00

SUB-AREA RUNOFF COMPUTATION
 CALCULATION OF INFLOW HYDROGRAPH TO RESERVOIR 10134

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HYDROGRAPH DATA

HYDRO	INRG	TAREA	SHAP	TRSDA	TRSPC	RATIO	ISDN	ISAME	LOCAL
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PRECIP DATA

SPFE	PMS	R6	R12	R24	R48	R72	R96
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WAVE NO = -92.00 WETNESS = -1.00 EFFECT CN = 92.00

UNIT HYDROGRAPH DATA

TC= 0.00 LAG= 21.00

RECESSION DATA

STRTIO= 0.00 ORCN= -.01 RTIO= 1.00

UNIT HYDROGRAPH END OF PERIOD ORIGINATES, TC= 0.00 HOURS, LAG= 21.00 VOL= 1.00									
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	FEEL	2 HOUR	24 HOUR	72 HOUR	TOTAL	VR TIME
CFE	7681.	67975.	34475.	2627178.		
CFE	5722.	1235.	976.	74392.		
IN HFC	5.05	17.21	24.18	27.71		
MM	132.40	437.04	24.4.94	703.78		
AV FT	32.16	13437.	205140.	217113.		
THICK. CU M	4.332.	166307.	253037.	262611.		

HYDROGRAPH AT STAGNATION FOR PLAN 1, RETIO 1

	14.00	6-HOUR	24-HOUR	72-HOUR	10134	10134
CFS	40410.	19940.	13283.	17147.	131554.	131554.
CNS	1145.	1131.	962.	486.	37196.	37196.
INCHES		2.53	6.50	13.09	13.85	13.85
MM		64.20	218.52	332.48	351.89	351.89
AC-FT		19805.	67414.	102570.	103559.	103559.
THOUS. CU M		24429.	83153.	126518.	133906.	133906.

HYDROGRAPH AT STAGNATION FOR PLAN 1, RETIO 2

	PEAK	6-HOUR	24-HOUR	72-HOUR	TOTAL VOLUME
CFS	80336.	79881.	67978.	34475.	2627128.
CNS	2289.	2262.	1925.	976.	74392.
INCHES		5.05	17.21	26.18	27.71
MM		128.40	437.04	664.96	703.73
AC-FT		39610.	134827.	205140.	217118.
THOUS. CU M		48659.	166307.	253037.	267811.

HYDROGRAPH ROUTING

ROUTED FLOWS THROUGH RESERVOIR 10134

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	NSTPS NSTBL								
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	726.00	728.00	730.00	732.00	734.00	736.00	738.00	740.00	742.00
	120.00	588.00	901.00	1256.00	1895.00	2089.00	2432.00	2874.00	3324.00
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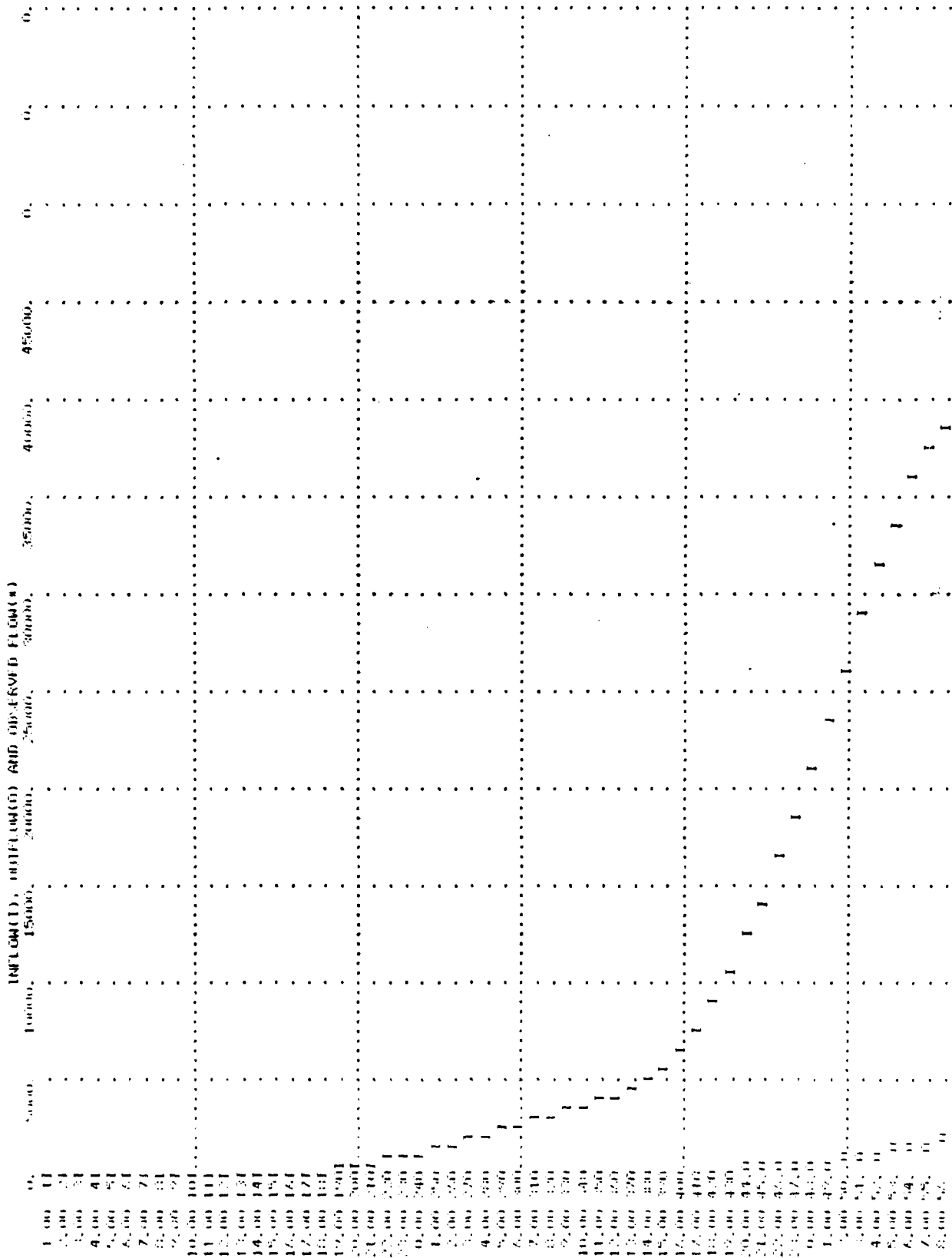
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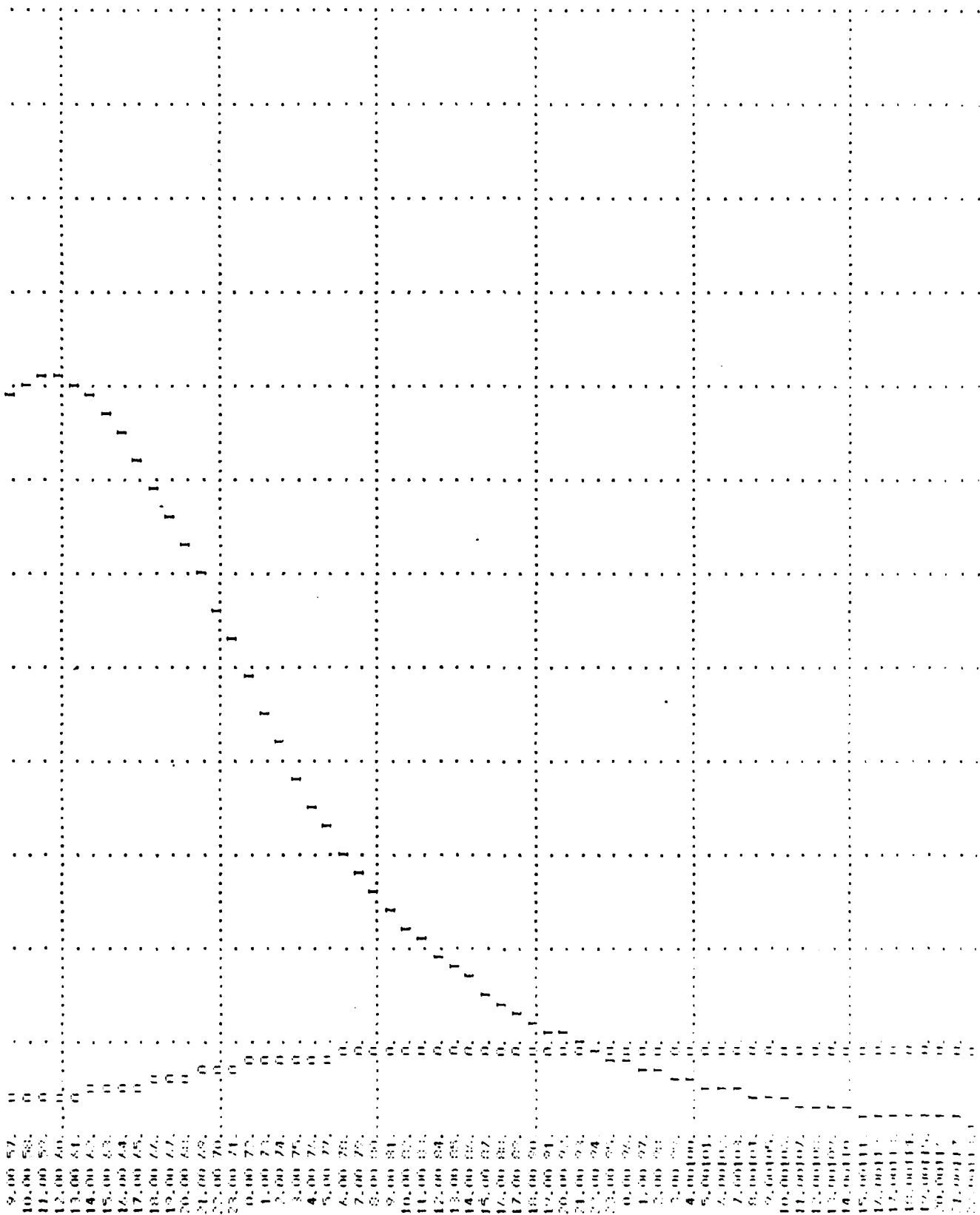
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723.0	723.0	722.9	722.9	722.9	722.8	722.7	722.7	722.7
722.6	722.6	722.6	722.5	722.5	722.4	722.4	722.3	722.3
722.2	722.2	722.2	722.1	722.1	722.1	722.0	722.0	721.9
721.9	721.9	721.8	721.8	721.8	721.7	721.6	721.6	721.6
721.5	721.5	721.5	721.4	721.4	721.4	721.3	721.3	721.2
721.2	721.2	721.1	721.1	721.1	721.0	721.0	720.9	720.9
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PEAK DIRECTION IS 46°N. AT TIME 94.00 HOURS

PEAK	4693.	4690.	4642.	4340.	TOTAL VOLUME
	133.	133.	131.	123.	553019.
CFS					15660.
CMS					5.83
INCHES					3.30
MM					83.71
AC-FT					25924.
THOUS CU M					31854.





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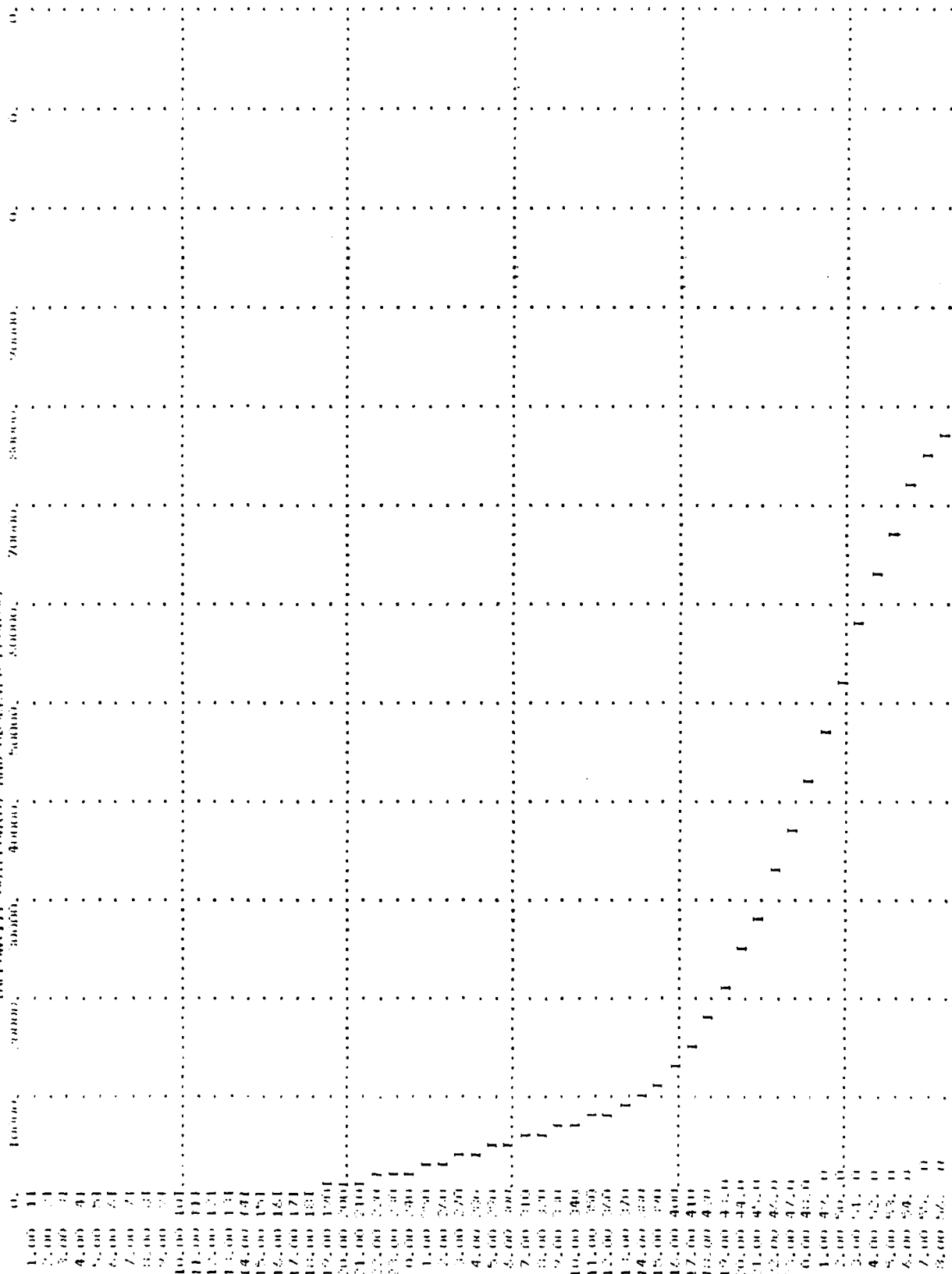
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728.3	728.2	728.1	728.0	727.9	727.9	727.8	727.7
727.6	727.5	727.5	727.4	727.3	727.3	727.2	727.1
727.1	727.0	726.9	726.8	726.8	726.7	726.6	726.6

FINAL MEASUREMENTS AT TIME 90.00 HOURS

CFS	FEW	6-HOUR	24-HOUR	72-HOUR	TOTAL VOLUME
CM	12192.	12179.	12008.	10900.	1324717.
INCHES	345.	345.	340.	309.	37512.
MM	.77	.77	3.04	8.28	13.97
AC-FT	19.53	19.53	77.20	210.23	354.88
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FROM FLOW AND STORAGE (END OF PERIOD) SUMMARY FOR MULTIPLE PLAN-RATIO ECONOMIC COMPUTATIONS
 FLOWS IN CUBIC FEET PER SECOND (CUBIC METERS PER SECOND)
 AREA IN SQUARE MILES (SQUARE KILOMETERS)

OPERATION	STATION	AREA	PLAN	RATIOS APPLIED TO FLOWS		
				RATIO	1	RATIO 2
				.50	1.00	
HYDROGRAPHICAL	000001	(47.00	1	40418.	80836.	
		(350.73)	(1104.51)	2209.02)	(
ROUTED TO	000002	147.00	1	4693.	12192.	
		(350.73)	(132.89)	345.25)	(

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PLATE D-24

**HYDROLOGY REPORT
THOMAS HILL RESERVOIR**

**FOR
Associated Electric Cooperative
Missouri 73**

1964

Prepared By

**BURNS & McDONNELL ENGINEERING COMPANY
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Kansas City, Missouri**

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**SUMMARY OF
HYDROLOGY STUDIES
FOR
THOMAS HILL RESERVOIR**

1. Scope of Report:
 - a. Studies made by Burns & McDonnell Engineering Company for Associated Electric Cooperative, Springfield, Missouri.
 - b. Dam to be earth fill dam for storage of cooling water for 150,000 kw steam generating plant with ultimate capacity of 500,000 kw.
 - c. Dam to be located on the Middle Fork of the Chariton River in Section 24, T55N, R15W, in Randolph County, Missouri approximately two miles north of Thomas Hill, Missouri.
2. Design Criteria:
 - a. Maximum probable storm - 23 inches of runoff in a 24 hour period.
 - (1) Developed from depth-area-duration data from Hydrometeorological Report No. 33, "Seasonal Variation of the Probably Maximum Precipitation East of the 105th Meridian for Areas from 10 to 1,000 Square Miles and Durations of 6, 12, 24 and 48 hours."
 - b. Project Storm - 12.23 inches of runoff in 24 hours.
 - (1) Taken from "Review of Report on Chariton and Little Chariton Rivers and Tributaries" prepared by U. S. Army Engineer District, Kansas City, Corps of Engineers, dated March, 1963 as developed by the method described in Civil Engineering Bulletin No. 52-8.
3. Drainage Area Studies:
 - a. Drainage Area - 147 square miles
 - (1) Determined from planimetering U. S. G. S. maps covering the tributary basin.
 - b. First studies were based on gaged flows on Chariton River at Keytesville and Prairie Hill, Missouri from 1929 through 1960. These were abandoned as not valid due to 10:1 ratio of tributary areas and other dissimilarities in drainage basin characteristics.
 - c. Final studies were based on gaged flows on Medicine Creek at Galt, Missouri for period 1922 through 1960. Tributary basin was similar in shape and its size of 225 square miles was reasonably close to Middle Fork basin.

4. Storm Frequency:

a. Frequency Curve - Developed from U. S. Weather Bureau's Technical Paper No. 40, "Rainfall Frequency Atlas of the United States."

(1) Used 80% runoff for 6 hour period.

b. Runoffs:

<u>Frequency (years)</u>	<u>Runoff (inches/6-hours)</u>
25	3.6
100	4.4

c. Hydrographs - Routed through reservoir to determine frequency of discharge through chute spillway.

5. Inflow Hydrograph:

a. Synthetic Unit Hydrograph - Developed using "Mitchell Method" as detailed in "Unit Hydrographs in Illinois" by William D. Mitchell.

(1) Basic factor determined is the time lag (t) which is time in hours required for center of rainfall mass to reach center of runoff mass.

(2) Using t as determined by equation $t = 1.05A^{0.6}$, A being drainage area in square miles, synthetic unit hydrograph shown on Plate I was developed.

(3) Inflow hydrographs for various runoff values were developed from Corps of Engineers Civil Engineering Bulletin No. 52-8" and inflow hydrograph for storm of 23 inches in 24 hours is shown as Curve I on Plate V in appendix.

(4) Project storm inflow hydrograph is shown as Curve I on Plate VI in appendix.

6. Reservoir Storage Capacity:

a. Area-Capacity-Curves - Developed from aerial topography of reservoir at scale of 1 inch to one thousand feet.

(1) Maps were planimetered at ten foot contour intervals to El. 730 and areas determined from these figures.

(2) Area - capacity curves shown on Plate II in appendix.

7. Outlet Structure:

a. Design Structure - Drop inlet connected to 9 foot circular tunnel discharging into concrete stilling basin under east dam abutment.

(1) Design drop inlet consists of 9 ft. by 18 ft. rectangular structure with two 18 ft. weirs, at El. 710 and concrete cover plates top of which is at El. 717. Has 8 inch cast iron pipe at El. 688 to maintain minimum flow below dam of 5 c. f. s. and 36 inches diameter sluice gate at El. 686.5 to permit lowering of lake for maintenance purposes.

- (2) Hydraulic design is based on unpublished papers on results of model studies of this type of structure conducted by St. Anthony Falls Hydraulics Laboratory.
- (3) Inlet will operate under weir flow conditions until reservoir rises to El. 715.75 \pm . Above this outlet pipe will control the discharge.
- (4) All outflow curves shown on plates in the appendix are based on the design drop inlet with cover plate constructed.
- (5) Drop inlet modified to allow operation of reservoir at El. 712 or above to reduce pumping costs of cooling water.
- (6) Removable stop logs have been placed on 18 ft. weirs to El. 712 and cover plate omitted, leaving support structure for cover plate to permit conversion to design conditions in the future.
- (7) Modifications reduce maximum flow from structure to approximately 1500 c.f.s. at about El. 717.
- (8) At El. 717 inlet will cycle between slug and weir flow; therefore discharge condition controlled by pipe flow will not be attained.

8. Spillway:

- a. Chute type spillway 50 feet wide with concrete sill control section located west of earth fill dam.
 - (1) Spillway is set on rock with control section at El. 715 and discharging to natural rock channel after erosion of overburden.
- b. Spillway will function as a weir with discharge computed by equation $Q = 3.087 L h_c^{1.5}$ where:
 - (1) Q = Discharge in c.f.s.
 - (2) L = Length of weir crest in feet
 - (3) h_c = Head in feet above crest of weir.
- c. Discharge curve for spillway is shown on Plate IV in appendix.

9. Flood Routing:

- a. Maximum discharge and maximum elevation of various floods routed were determined from graphical routing curves.
 - (1) Determined by graphic methods outlined in U.S. Department of Agriculture, Soil Conservation Service, Washington, Mimeograph No. 3823, "Steps in the Graphic Routing of Floods Through Reservoirs."
 - (2) Routing of maximum probable storm shown on Plate V and routing of project storm is shown on Plate VI in appendix.
- b. Reservoir elevation at the beginning of a given flood computed to be 713.0

- (1) Determined by assuming full pool (El. 715) with no excessive inflow and outlet structure operating at design capacity for 5 days prior to start of flood routing.
- c. Flood routing studies are summarized in Table below.
- d. Lake elevations which would have been reached by peak floods each year of record are shown in Table B - Appendix.

FLOOD ROUTING RECORD

<u>Storm</u>	<u>Max. Reservoir El.</u>
Probable Maximum	
23" in 24 hours	731.70
Standard Project	
12.23" in 24 hours	724.20
25 yr. - 3.6" in 6 hours	714.50
100 yr. - 4.4" in 6 hours	715.50

10. Summary:

- a. Hydrology studies using "design drop inlet" indicate maximum probable elevation attained by reservoir will be slightly below El. 732
- b. With design drop inlet, freeboard on dam constructed to El. 737 will be 5 feet or greater.
- c. Design outlet structure adequate to discharge flows in excess of 25 year frequency storm with no flow through chute spillway.
- d. Modified drop inlet will have slightly less than half of flow of design drop inlet in elevation range below 715; with maximum probable discharge of about 1500 c.f.s.
- e. Modified drop inlet will cause more frequent flooding downstream and more frequent discharge through chute spillway than design drop inlet.
- f. Studies indicate that at least 4 foot of freeboard will be available even if maximum probable storm should occur prior to construction of cover plate on drop inlet.
- g. Reservoir can be converted to provide greater flood protection if necessary.

APPENDIX

TABLE A

Unit Hydrograph Computations

$$t = 1.05 (A) 0.6$$

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$$t = 21 \text{ hrs.}$$

$$\Sigma Q = \frac{A (Nd)}{0.03719} =$$

$$\Sigma Q = \frac{147 (5.7)}{0.03719} =$$

$$A = 147 \text{ sq. mi.}$$

$$hd = \text{No. of ordinates / day}$$

$$\text{Computation interval}$$

$$= 0.2 t = 0.2 (21) = 4.2 \text{ hrs.}$$

$$\therefore n_d = 24 / 4.2 = 5.7$$

$$22,600 \text{ c.f.s.}$$

$$\text{Duration to Lag} = 6 / 21 = 0.28$$

Form 80.20 - "Unit Hydrographs In Illinois"

Time (Lags)	Distribution (%)	Unit Hydrograph Ordinates (c.f.s.)	Actual Time (Hours)
0.2	4.17	940	6.3
.4	16.24	3,670	10.5
.6	20.06	4,540	14.7
.8	15.76	3,560	18.9
1.0	11.76	2,660	23.1
1.2	8.40	1,900	27.3
1.4	5.72	1,290	31.5
1.6	4.08	920	35.7
1.8	3.19	720	39.9
2.0	2.52	570	44.1
2.2	1.98	450	48.3
2.4	1.50	340	52.5
2.6	1.15	260	56.6
2.8	.98	220	60.9
3.0	.82	185	65.0
3.2	.66	149	69.2
3.4	.50	113	73.5
3.6	.30	68	77.6
3.8	.15	34	81.9
4.0	.06	14	86.0

TABLE B

Record Storms Medicine Creek

Converted Middle Fork

<u>Storm</u>	<u>Max. Reservoir El.</u>	<u>Storm</u>	<u>Max. Reservoir El.</u>
1960	714.0	1940	711.3
*1959	715.3	1939	711.6
1958	713.5	1938	710.4
1957	710.0	1937	712.6
1956	710.8	1936	710.8
1955	710.8	1935	713.5
1954	711.8	1934	710.2
1953	712.0	1933	711.5
1952	712.4	*1932	715.0
1951	713.7	1931	712.5
*1950	715.3	1930	711.5
1949	714.0	1929	712.0
1948	713.5	1928	712.9
*1947 (Max. Record)	717.4	1927	713.1
1946	713.3	1926	714.2
1945	714.7	1925	711.6
1944	712.6	1924	712.9
1943	713.6	1923	712.0
1942	714.2	1922	712.7
1941	714.2		

*Denotes reservoir elevation above 715 based on Design Drop Inlet.

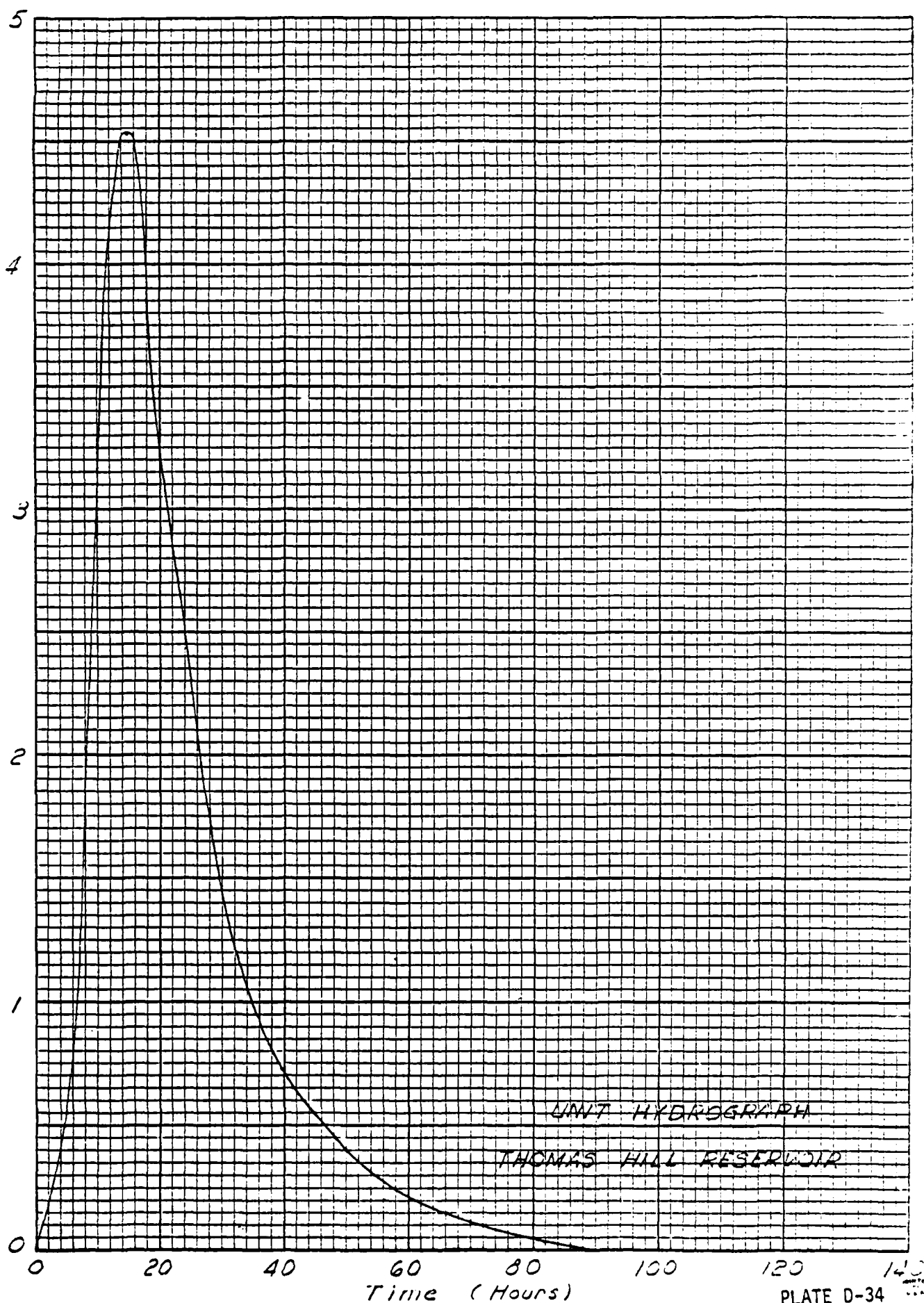
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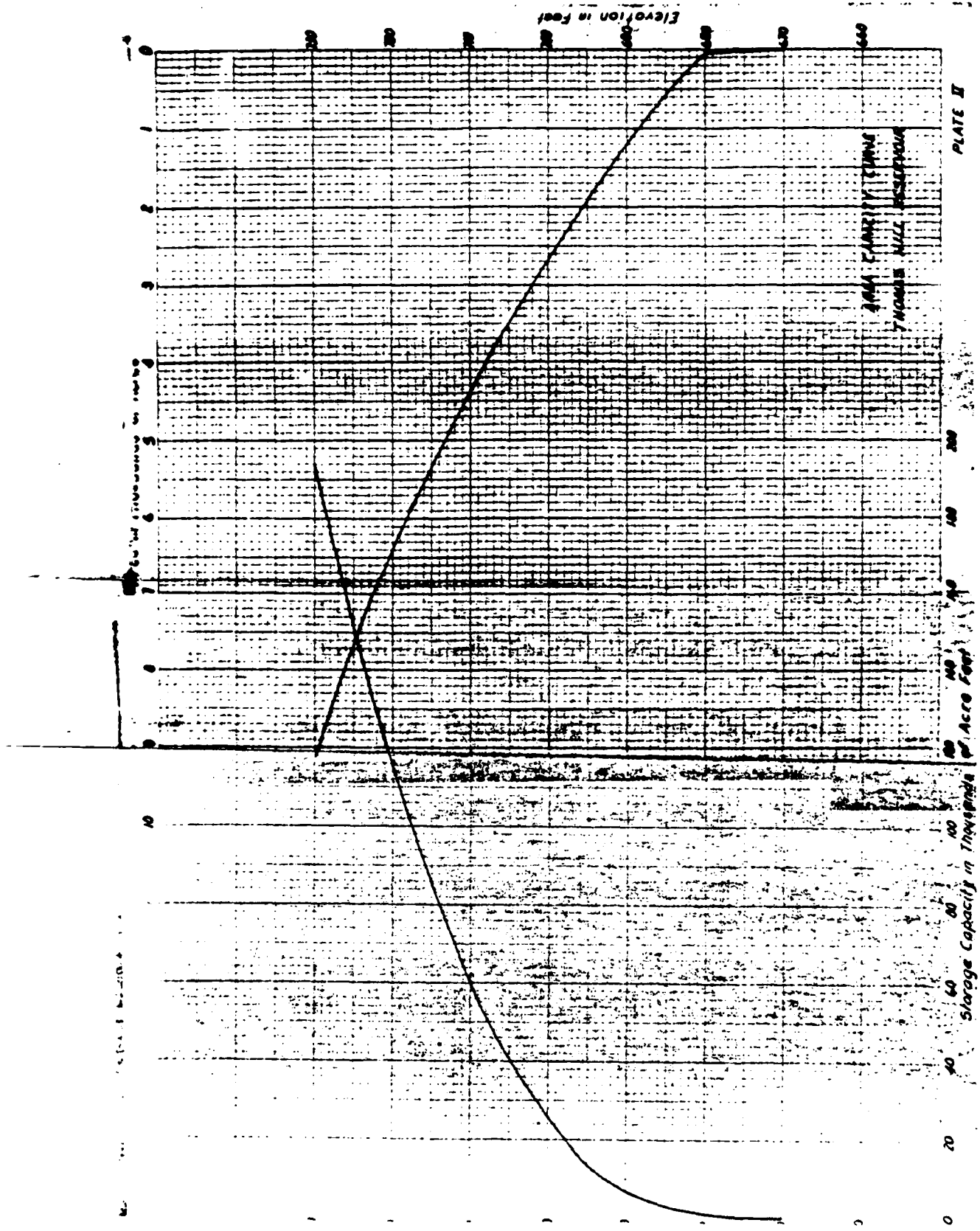
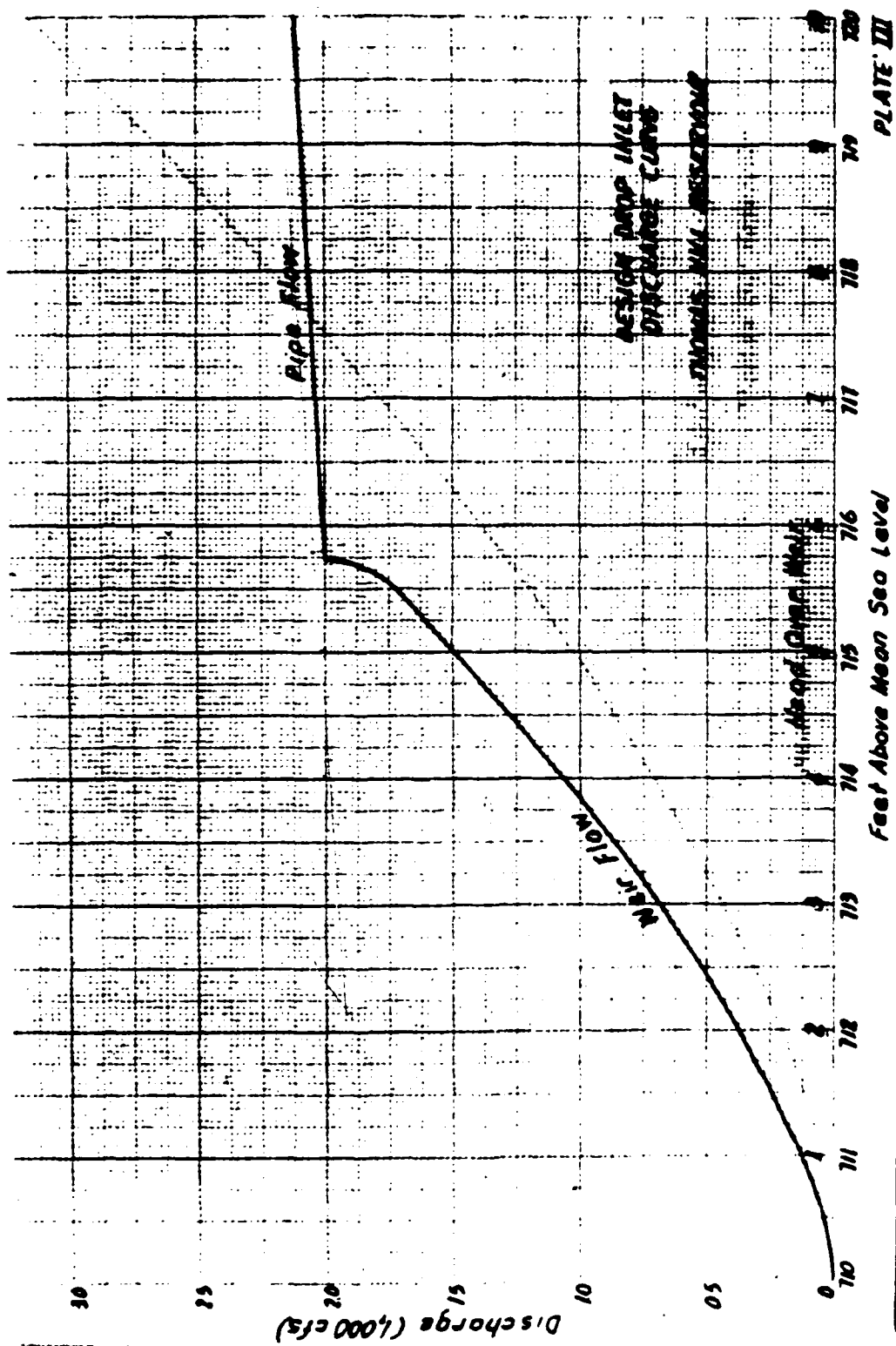
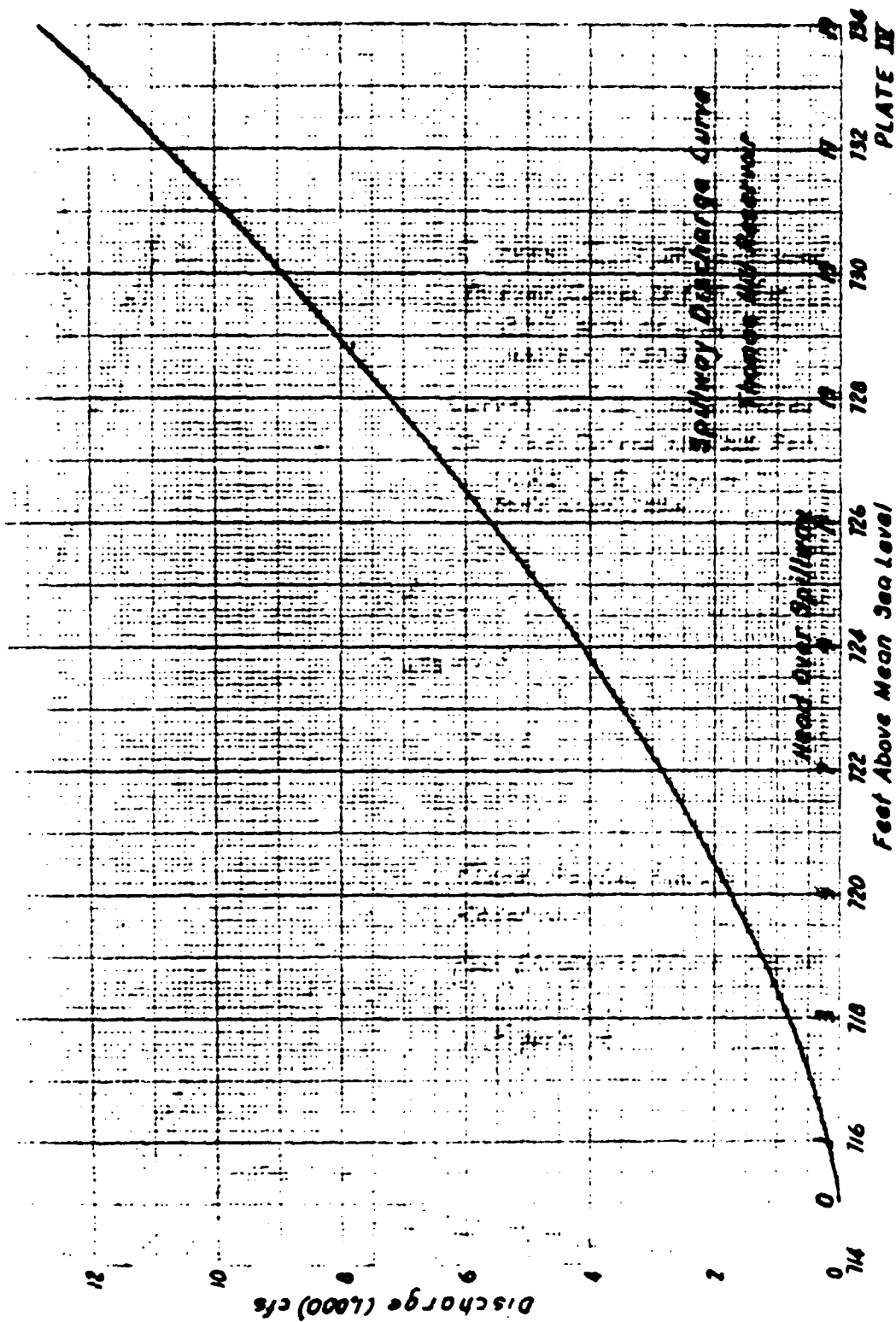
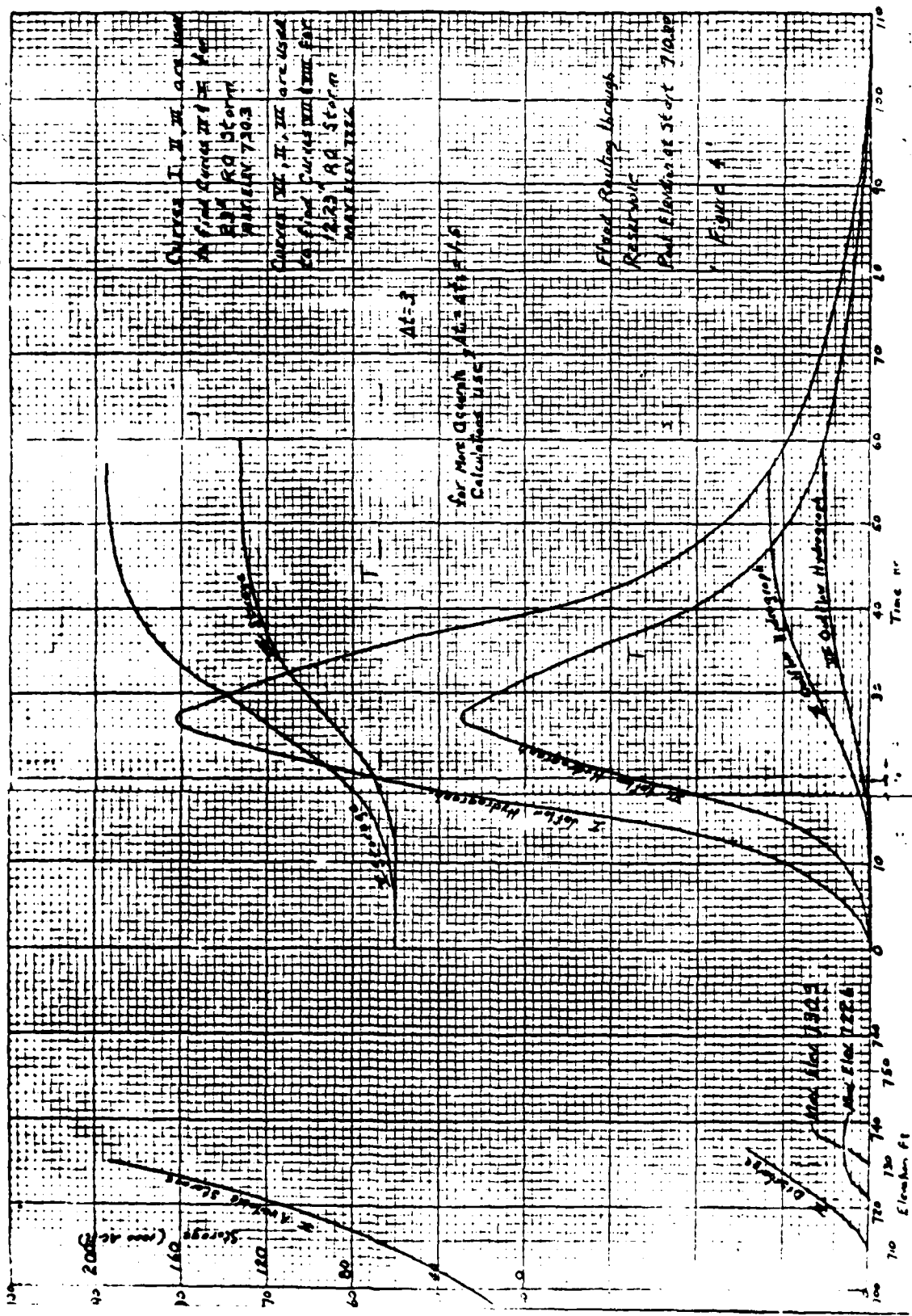


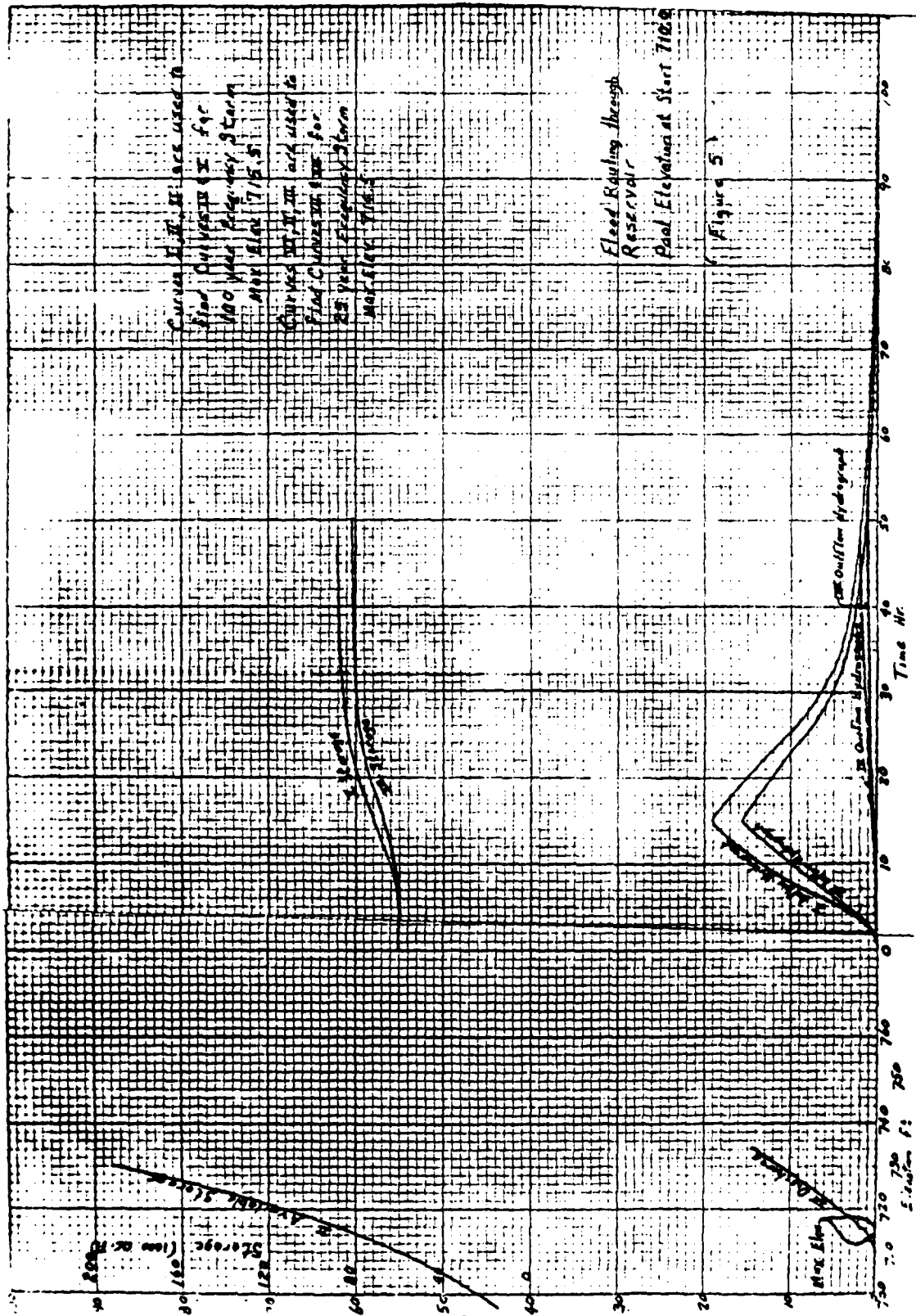
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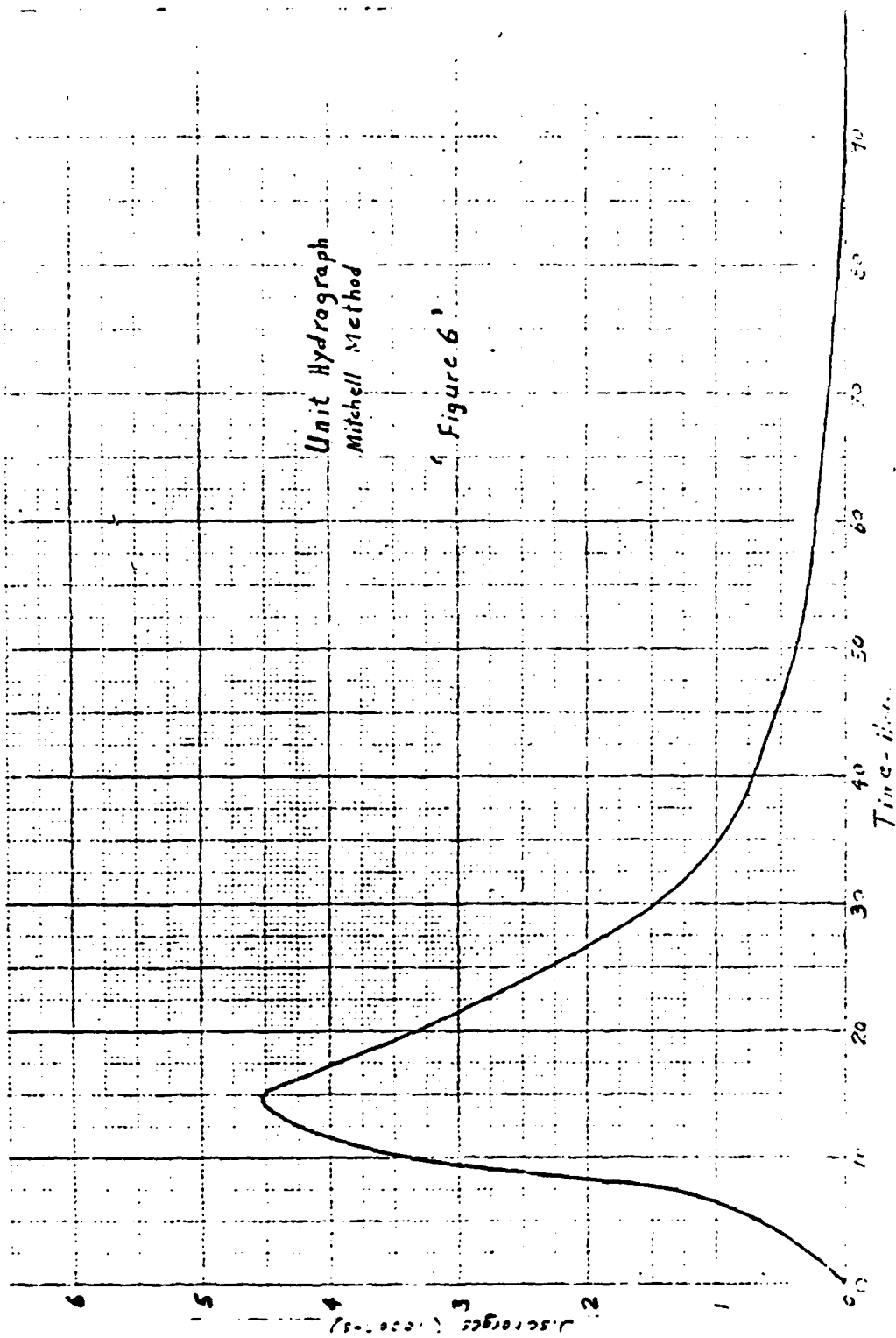
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APPENDIX E
GEOTECHNICAL SAFETY EVALUATION
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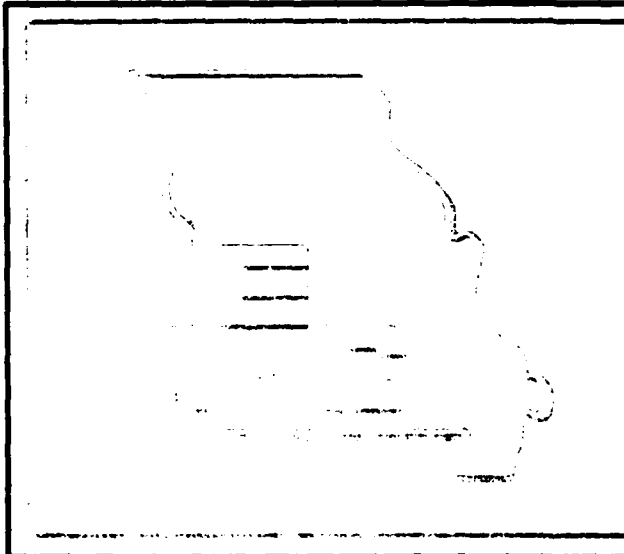
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Geotechnical Engineering
Inspection of Thomas Hill Dam

INTRODUCTION:

Increased dependence on water from the Thomas Hill Reservoir due to the construction of a third generating unit and a recognized need to assure the public of the safety of this dam has prompted Associated Electric Cooperative to request this investigation. Thomas Hill Dam has never been completely or systematically investigated since its completion in 1966. Engineer Circular 110-22-136 of the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, which was drafted in compliance with "The National Dam Inspection Act" (PL 92-367), was used as a guide for the various phases of this investigation. Phase I (A) consisted of a review of design notes, subsurface investigation reports, laboratory test results, analyses, specifications, plans and construction correspondence. Phase I (B) consisted of a field inspection of the slope areas, outlet works, relief wells, and the emergency spillway. Phase II (A) consisted of a limited field survey to check alignment and elevations of the dam. Phase II (B) consisted of a limited boring program, installation of piezometers, check laboratory tests and an evaluation of the embankment.

The Thomas Hill Dam is located on the Middle Fork of the Chariton River. It was constructed by the Associated Electric Cooperative to supply cooling water for their Thomas Hill Power Plant. Burns and McDonnell Engineering Company was the designer of the dam and the general contractor was the Martin K. Eby Construction Company. Construction of the dam began early in 1965 and it was completed late in 1966.

Thomas Hill Dam is a homogeneous earth fill embankment with a sand blanket filter under the downstream slope. It has a maximum height of approximately 60 feet, a length of about 3000 feet and a volume of nearly 650,000 cubic yards. The outlet works consists of an uncontrolled drop inlet with a thirty-six inch diameter gate and an eight inch diameter opening for steady flow, a nine-foot diameter concrete-lined tunnel, and a hydraulic jump stilling basin. A channel type emergency spillway with a concrete control section and partial riprap lining was constructed in a cut section in the west abutment.

The purpose of this report is to present the results of an investigation of this dam following the Corps of Engineers guidelines for the safety of dams in accordance with the National Dam Inspection Act, Public Law 92-367. The scope of this report is confined to the Geotechnical Engineering aspects of the embankment and related parts of the dam. Hydraulic and hydrologic studies of the dam will be presented in a separate report.

SITE INFORMATION:

This dam is located on the Middle Fork of the Chariton River approximately eight miles north of Moberly, Missouri and three miles west of State Route C. More specifically, the dam is located in Section 24, Township 55 North and Range 16 West in Randolph County, Missouri. Figure 1 shows the location of this dam and reservoir with respect to both natural and political boundaries. Figure 2 shows the location of this dam with respect to the existing topography and the power plant grid system. It will be noted that the spillway is located on the right abutment, while the outlet works tunnel is in the left abutment. Essential dimensions are given in the following table.

Table 1 - Elevations and Dimensions of Thomas Hill Dam

Elevations:

Top of Dam	737.0 ft.
Maximum Pool	732.0 ft.
Spillway Crest (full pool)	715.0 ft.
Normal Operation Pool	710.0 ft.

Height:

Maximum above river bed	70	ft.
Maximum above prepared base	57	ft.

Dimensions:

Crest length, maximum	3000	ft.
Crest width	50	ft.
Base width, maximum	600	ft.
Slope, maximum	2.5 (H) to 1.0 (V)	

A general cross section of this dam is shown in Figure 3. Essential features are the cofferdam, the impervious core, cutoff, upstream and downstream berms, the sand blanket, relief wells and riprap. A profile of this dam along the centerline is shown in Figure 4; the essential features of this are the spillway, outlet tunnel, grout curtain and approximate rock surface.

Geologically, this dam is located in an area consisting of a dissected Pleistocene till plain overlying Pennsylvanian Age bedrock. Post glacial erosion by the Middle Fork of the Chariton River has cut through the till exposing bedrock on the valley walls while depositing alluvial material in the valley. The abutments are underlain by clay tills, which generally range in thickness from a few feet up to approximately ten feet. The valley section of this dam is underlain by alluvial clay, silt, sand and gravel deposits which have a total maximum thickness of about 45 feet. Both the glacial and alluvial deposits are underlain by cyclic deposits of shale, limestone, siltstone and conglomerate of the Marmaton and Cherokee Groups of the Desmoinesian Series of the Pennsylvanian System. This region is on the southwest flank of a broad, shallow syncline which plunges to the northwest and produces a low regional dip to the northwest. Superimposed upon this syncline are many smaller flexures which usually trend to either the northwest or northeast. Thinning and thickening of the Pennsylvanian cyclic deposits due to numerous minor folds and troughs yields a complex section. In addition, minor faults and joints associated with the local folding increase the complexity of the local geology.

PHASE 1 (A): REVIEW OF DESIGN AND CONSTRUCTION

Design Subsurface Investigation:

Over one hundred borings were made to investigate the dam foundations, spillway section and borrow areas during the spring of 1964. Boring locations are shown on Figure 5. It will be noted that borings along the dam center line were made at regular one hundred foot intervals, while a two hundred foot interval was used in other areas downstream of the centerline.

Approximately sixty packer type permeability tests were conducted in borings along the centerline of the dam. Measured values of permeabilities varied from 0.001 ft./day to 11 ft./day.

Samples, both undisturbed and disturbed, were taken during the field investigation and subsequently subjected to laboratory tests. Classification tests, grain size analyses and consistency limits were performed on over forty samples selected from those taken during the field investigation. Soils encountered in the abutments and upper valley areas were generally CH and CL types of materials, while SC, SM, SP, GM, GC and GP materials were found in the valley floor. Consolidation tests, permeability tests, and Q, R and S types of shear tests were performed on dam foundation material as well as compacted borrow material.

Design Analyses:

Stability analyses were made for end of construction, sudden draw-down, partial pool and steady seepage cases. Soil parameters used for the analyses and the results of these analyses are given in the following tables:

Table 2 - Soil Parameters Used for Design Analyses

I Unit Weights:

	<u>Saturated</u>	<u>Submerged</u>
A. Embankment	132.0 PCF	69.5 PCF
B. Foundation		
Impervious	124.0 PCF	61.5 PCF
Pervious	127.0 PCF	64.5 PCF

II Shear Strengths:

A. End of Construction

1. Ordinary method of slices - Case I

Embankment: $C = 2000 \text{ PSF}$, $\text{TAN } \phi = 0$

Foundation, Impervious: $C = 500$, $\text{PSF TAN } \phi = 0$

Foudation, Pervious: $C = 0$, $\text{TAN } \phi = 0.5$

2. Ordinary method of slices - Case II

Embankment: $C = 2000 \text{ PSF}$

Foundation, Impervious: CH, $C = 750 \text{ PSF}$, $\text{TAN } \phi = 0$

CL, $C = 500 \text{ PSF}$, $\text{TAN } \phi = 0$

Foundation, Pervious: $C = 0 \text{ TAN } \phi = 0.5$

3. Wedge method

Embankment: $C = 2000 \text{ PSF}$

Foundation 5' below grade: $C = 750$ PSF on slope and
on horizontal failure plane $C = 500$ PSF

B. Sudden drawdown

1. Ordinary method of slices

Embankment and foundations: $C = 500$ PSF and $\text{TAN } \phi = 0.213$

C. Partial Pool

1. Ordinary method of slices

Embankment and foundations: $C = 500$ PSF and $\text{TAN } \phi = 0.213$

D. Steady Seepage

1. Ordinary method of slices

Embankment and foundations: $C = 0$ and $\text{TAN } \phi = 0.487$

Table 3 - Results of Stability Analyses

Reported Factors of Safety

A. End of Construction

1. Ordinary method of slices - Case I $F_s = 1.29$

2. Ordinary method of slices - Case II $F_s = 1.35$

3. Wedge method $F_s = 1.40$

B. Sudden Drawdown

1. Ordinary method of slices $F_s = 1.30 (1.2^*)$

C. Partial Pool

1. Ordinary method of slices $F_s = 1.5 (1.5^*)$

D. Steady Seepage

*Corps of Engineers recommended minimum factors of safety.

Total settlements in the range of two to three feet were predicted on the basis of conventional elastic and consolidation analyses.

Seepage was analyzed and a control system consisting of a cutoff trench, grout curtain, pervious drainage blanket and relief wells was selected. A cutoff trench into the rock was chosen for the abutment areas, but a partial cutoff was chosen for the valley section.

Borrow areas for impervious embankment material were selected in the glacial till areas near the dam. River sand was chosen for the drainage blanket.

Construction Records:

Records of the grout curtain constructed by the P. S. Judy Drilling Company indicate very little grout take in the shale and coal formations. An average of 1.4 bags of cement was used per foot of limestone drilled. Three hundred and thirteen holes were drilled and 5085 bags of cement were used in the grouting program.

Records of compaction control were kept but not summarized. An examination of these records indicate that a vast majority of the densities were between 95 and 100 percent of the maximum dry density of the Standard Proctor test, with field moisture contents in the range of 0 to 3 percent over the optimum moisture content of this test.

A seep area appeared about half way up the intersection of the back slope and the east abutment late in 1966, shortly after the impoundment began. A flow of about 5 to 10 gpm was noted and this was monitored as the reservoir level rose. This flow remained essentially constant for several months. Pumping for the relief wells in April 1967 gave flows of 7.5, 10 and 10 gpm for relief wells 1, 2 and 3, respectively.

PHASE 1 (B): FIELD INSPECTION

A visual inspection of the embankment and adjacent areas of the dam was made on June 28 and 29, 1977.

Embankment: The water level at the time of inspection was down at least 10 feet below normal pool elevation, which permitted inspection of the riprap below the normal wave action levels. The riprap surface was level, showing no evidence of either erosion or displacement. A few scattered pieces of riprap have been badly fractured due to selective weathering. No cracks, either parallel or perpendicular to the crest, could be detected.

The crest shows no evidence of either area or local settlement, and neither transverse nor longitudinal cracks could be detected.

Piezometers installed in the embankment during the construction period were inspected and found to be dry.

The downstream slope exhibits neither arc-shaped, longitudinal or transverse cracks. Furthermore, bulges and troughs, which would indicate differential movement or slope stability problems, were absent. Erosion damage, however, was found at a number of locations along the slope. Incised gullies as deep as three feet are to be found in close intervals running down the slope and on the downstream berm. Small trees and shrubs have grown on the downstream slope.

Abutments: Seepage is evident on both abutments along the boundary with the embankment. Wet conditions have existed in these areas permanently, since cat tails and swamp grasses are growing in these areas. The amounts of seepage found at these locations appear to be small, less than five gpm. The water is clear and there is no accumulation of fines, which would have indicated piping, below the seeps. The accumulation of water in the ditches between the embankment and the abutments is not in excess of 10 gpm near the toe.

Emergency Spillway: A visual inspection of the walls, control section and floor of the emergency spillway revealed conditions that were identical to those described in the design and construction reports, which were reviewed prior to the inspection. The Pawnee Limestone, to be found in the spillway walls, has undergone little or no alternation by weathering since its exposure. Joints that were opened by blasting are still evident but show no movement. The reinforced concrete control section is uncracked and appears to be sound. Since the spillway has never been activated, there is no evidence of erosion within the section. Small trees and scrub growth have been allowed to grow in the spillway, especially in the area south of the control section. Over-excavated areas in the spillway floor have ponded water and cattails are growing in them. Some of the limestone blocks used as riprap have weathered badly and have shattered.

Outlet Works and Stilling Basin: With the gates of the intake structure closed, the outlet tunnel and stilling basin were pumped empty for inspection on July 29, 1977. The intake structure shows no signs of distress and only a minor amount of scour of the concrete at the invert is evident. Minor leaks, less than 1 gpm, were found along joints in the tunnel and many of these joints have carbonate deposits around them. No evidence of structural distress, such as longitudinal cracks or cracks between joints, could be found in the tunnel lining. The stilling basin has experienced some minor damage to one of its dissipaters, otherwise it appears to be in excellent condition.

Downstream Area: This area was ponded with water one to two feet above the relief well drains at the time of the first inspection. Scrub growth, small willow trees, swamp grasses and cattails were growing over the area. Bottom ash, probably from the stock piles immediately adjacent to the downstream area, and material eroded from the slopes had accumulated in this area. Evidence of small animals, beaver or muskrat, was in the area. This area was cleared demucked and drained during the last week of October 1977.

Relief Wells: The relief wells could not be inspected on either June 29th or July 29th of 1977, since the water levels could not be measured until the downstream area had been demucked. Water levels were first measured on November 16, 1977 and are reported in the following table. Crimps were reported in the relief well tees at this time, but flows of from 5 to 10 gpm were observed.

Table 4 - Relief Well Measurements

Well No.	Depth of Well* Ft.	Depth to Water* Ft.	
1	50.2	10.5+	11.1++
2	50.5	11.2	11.2
3	50.6	10.4	11.0

* From top of well casing

+ November 16, 1977

++ March 15, 1978

Due to adverse weather conditions and problems with equipment availability, the relief wells were not inspected and tested until the 15th and 16th of March, 1978. Each well was measured, inspected for corrosion and damage, and pump tested. A small submersible pump was placed near the bottom of a well and the well was pumped at a rate of 14.5 to 15.0 gallons per minute for approximately two and one half hours. Drawdowns of three, four and five feet occurred in relief wells 1, 2 and 3, respectively, within two minutes. Adjacent wells were observed during the pumping period, but no observable changes in water levels took place. Water from the wells was collected to observe turbidity, but the water was very clear. Checks were made of the quantity of flow during the pumping period. After the pump was shut off, the water levels returned to their original position within one minute. From these observations it may be concluded that the relief wells are in good condition.

Phase II (A): Alignment and Elevation Survey

The centerline of the roadway, which is 12.5 ft. upstream from the centerline of the dam, was checked for alignment and elevation in May, 1977. In addition, the elevations of the dam were measured on 10 ft. intervals at three cross sections, stations 28+00, 30+00 and 32+00. Except for some erosion rivulets in the slopes, the slopes exhibited no undulations and retained their original dimensions. Little or no settlement was evident.

Phase II (B): Additional Investigations of the Embankment

On July 20-25, 1977, three borings, D-197, 198, and 199 were made on the embankment at station 29+00 at 30, 150 and 250 feet south of the centerline, respectively. A drill rig using a 4-inch auger was used for making all of these borings. Shelby tube samples (ASTM D1587) were taken at depth intervals of five feet in all of the borings where cohesive soils were encountered. Standard Penetration tests (ASTM D1586) were performed at depth intervals of five feet where sands, in the blanket, were encountered. Three (3) boring logs describing the materials encountered, their depths and thickness, and sampling locations are given in the Appendix.

Piezometers, of the open tube type, were set at depths of 50 and 82 feet in Boring D-197, and at depths of 11 and 9 feet in Borings D-198 and 199,

respectively. The open tube piezometers, Casagrande type, consisted of a porous tube, 1½ inch outside diameter by 24 inches long and connected to ½ inch outside diameter polyethylene plastic tubing. Ottawa sand was used to encapsulate the porous tube in the boring and two feet of bentonite was used to seal the borehole above the sand backfill.

Thirty-one Shelby tube samples were visually inspected and representative specimens were selected for testing. Classification tests, including grain size analyses (ASTM D422) and consistency limits (ASTM D423 and 424), were performed on four samples. The results of these tests are given in the Appendix and are summarized in the following table.

Table 5 Classification Test Results

<u>Boring No.</u>	<u>Depth, Feet</u>	<u>Liquid Limit %</u>	<u>Plastic Limit %</u>	<u>Pass #200</u>	<u>Unified Classification</u>
D197	13'-15'	40	16	71.2	CL
D197	68'-70'	27	16	61.9	CL
D198	8'-10'	41	17	72.9	CL
D199	8'-10'	36	14	69.7	CL

Six unconfined compression tests (ASTM D2166) were performed to ascertain strength variations, and these results are shown in detail in the Appendix and are summarized in Table 3.

Table 6 Unconfined Compression Test Results

<u>Boring No.</u>	<u>Depth, Feet</u>	<u>Dry Density PCF</u>	<u>Moisture Content %</u>	<u>Unconfined Strength PSF</u>	<u>Axial Strain At Failure</u>
D197	3'-5'	116	15.2	8100	6
D197	8'-10'	118	16.3	7200	11
D197	28'-30'	116	15.3	11000	3
D197	43'-45'	118	13.4	11100	2
D197	63'-65'	108	19.8	6700	5
D197	73'-75'	99	24.9	2900	6

Permeability tests were performed on three samples of embankment material and one sample from the sand blanket. Two of the samples, ST-15 and ST-3, were remolded due to sample disturbance. The results of these tests are given in Table 7.

Table 7 Laboratory Permeability Test Results

Boring No.	Sample No.	Depth, Feet	Dry Density PCF	k, Permeability Coefficient $\frac{\text{cm}}{\text{sec}}$ $\times 10^{-6}$
D197	ST-7	33-35	115	0.15
D197	ST-13	63-65	105	0.28
D197	ST-15	73-75	109	0.72
D198	ST-3	13-15	101	270

Consolidated-Undrained (R) triaxial tests were performed on two sets of three samples of the embankment material and one set of three samples of the foundation material. Results of these tests are given in detail in the Appendix and are summarized in Table 8.

Table 8 Consolidated-Undrained Triaxial Test Results

Boring No.	Depth, Feet	Dry Density Range PCF	ϕ Degree	C TSF
D197	13-15	114-117	20.7	1.4
D197	68-70	104-106	11.3	0.5*
D198	8-10	112-114	17.6	1.0

* Questionable test results, silty clay with sand lenses.

Consolidated-Drained (S) direct shear tests were performed on three sets of three samples of the embankment material. The results of these tests are given in detail in the Appendix and are summarized in Table 9.

Table 9 Consolidated-Drained Direct Shear Test Results

Boring No.	Depth, Feet	Dry Density PCF	ϕ Degree	C TSF
D197	28-30	109-116	21	0.6
D197	43-45	116-118	29	0.3
D199	13-15	108-110	26.5	0.3

It will be noted that these shearing strength exceed those used in the original design analyses using Corps of Engineers methods; therefore, there seems to be no need to undertake the expense of additional stability analyses by other methods.

SUMMARY:

Phase I (A) - A review of the complete design file indicates that a standard, conservative design procedure was used. Construction was routine, at least according to the construction records and correspondence. Less

quality control work was used than would be required now. However, the quality control work that was done indicates reasonable density and moisture control was being used. Small seeps developed in the abutments on first filling, but this is not unusual for dams founded on limestone in this area. Construction correspondence reveals that they were monitored periodically after they developed and that the quantity of seepage did not increase.

Phase I (B) - An inspection of the dam revealed a few minor problems. The downstream toe area had been allowed to silt up and pond water, and minor erosion by rainfall runoff had taken place on the downstream slope. Shortly after this was brought to the owners attention as undesirable, the area was cleared. Other than these problems, the dam appeared to be unchanged from the time of construction. The relief wells were tested and found to be in good condition.

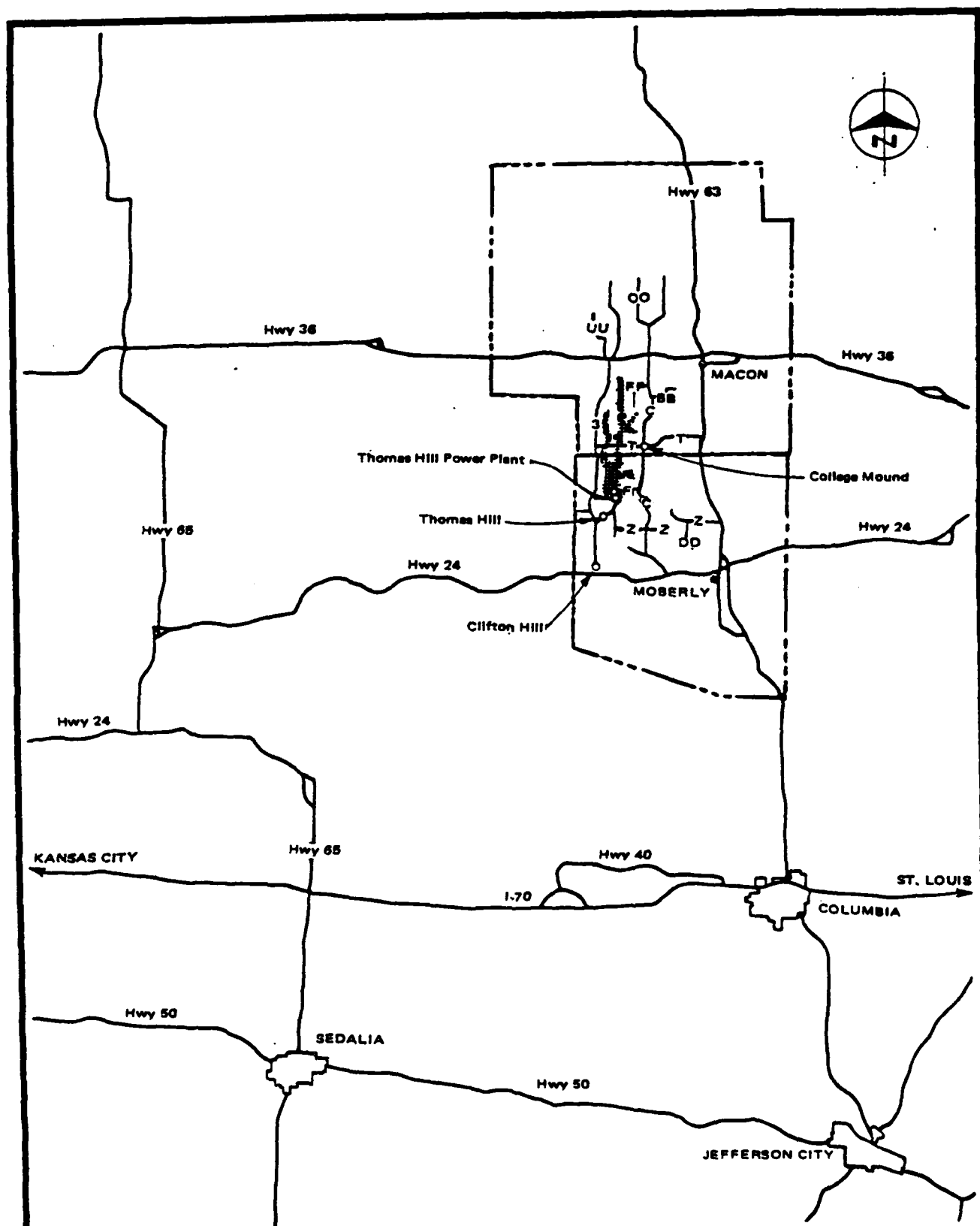
Phase II (A) - A check of the alignment and elevations of the centerline and at three cross sections revealed that the dam had undergone virtually no settlement or distortion.

Phase II (B) - A limited boring and testing program indicates that the materials used in the embankment and filter agree with the descriptions given in the design and construction records. Shear strengths exceed those assumed in the original stability analyses. Piezometers were installed in the boreholes for future monitoring of the dam.

CONCLUSION:

This dam meets the safety requirements as set forth in Engineer Circular 110-22-136 of the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers. However, an annual maintenance program should be instituted by the owner to insure future use and safety of this dam. In particular, the downstream should be kept clear of sediment and scrub growth, the erosion features on the downstream slope should be filled and seeded, and the entire area should be kept cleared of scrub growth and routinely mowed.

FIGURES



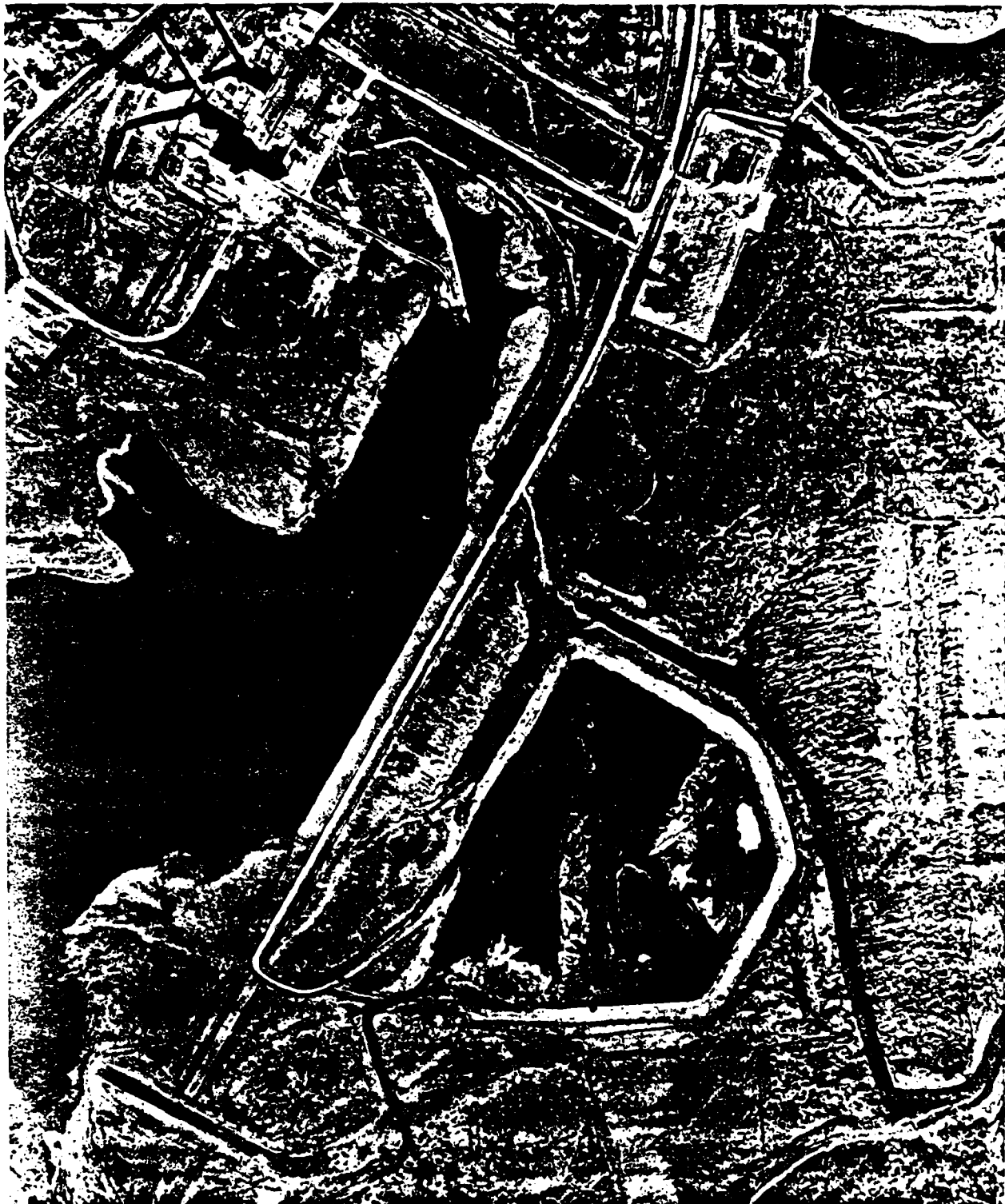
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THOMAS HILL PLANT
LOCATION SHEET

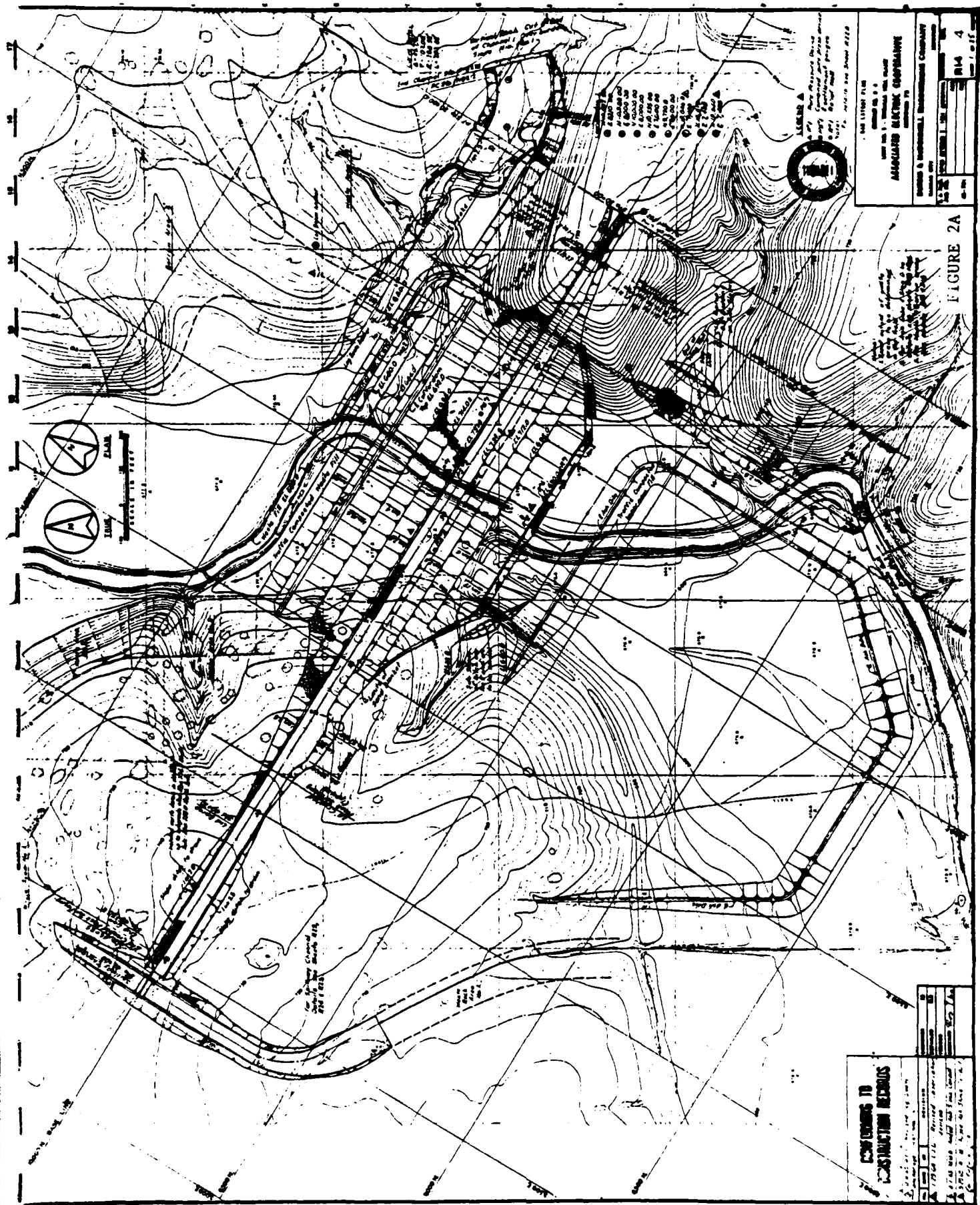
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Figure 2
LOCATION SHEET OF
POWER PLANT AND DAM



1. NAME OF PROJECT
 2. NAME OF CLIENT
 3. NAME OF ARCHITECT
 4. NAME OF ENGINEER
 5. NAME OF LANDSCAPE ARCHITECT
 6. NAME OF PLANNING CONSULTANT
 7. NAME OF ENVIRONMENTAL CONSULTANT
 8. NAME OF HISTORIC PRESERVATION CONSULTANT
 9. NAME OF TRANSPORTATION CONSULTANT
 10. NAME OF OTHER CONSULTANT

FIGURE 2A

1. NAME OF PROJECT
 2. NAME OF CLIENT
 3. NAME OF ARCHITECT
 4. NAME OF ENGINEER
 5. NAME OF LANDSCAPE ARCHITECT
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APPENDIX

BORING LOGS

DRILLING LOG

JOB NO. <u>76-017-1</u>		PROJECT <u>Thomas Hill Dam Study</u>		HOLE NO. <u>D-197</u>			
GROUND ELEV. <u>734</u>		LOCATION <u>Sta 29+00 30' S. of crest</u>				SHEET <u>1</u> OF <u>5</u>	
DRILLING TYPE <u>4" Auger</u>	HOLE DEPTH <u>84'</u>	OVERBURDEN FOOTAGE <u>84'</u>	BEDROCK FOOTAGE <u>0</u>	OVERBURDEN SAMPLES <u>17</u>	NO. CORE BOXES <u>-</u>	% CORE RECOVERY <u>-</u>	WATER TABLE
DRILLING CO. <u>Raymond International</u>				DRILLER(S) <u>Bud Anderson</u>			
DRILLING RIG. <u>CME 75</u>				PENETRATION TEST. <u>SPT</u>			
DRILLING DATE <u>7/20/77</u> TO <u>7/20/77</u>				INSPECTOR(S) <u>PATRICK GOEKE</u>			

DEPTH	DESCRIPTION	LOG OR CLASS	NO. BLOWS	CORE RECOV. & LOSS	BOX OR SAMPLE NO.	REMARKS
1						
2						
3						
4	Tanish Brown <u>clay</u> with fine gravel. gravel sizes range from 1/16" to 1/2". Some silt in the clay. damp, medium plastic very stiff	CL		18" 24"	ST 1	slight crimp in bottom of tube
5						
6						
7						
8						
9	Tanish brown silty clay, some coarse sand and fine gravel mixed in. Damp, very stiff medium plasticity	CL		24'	ST 2	
10						
11						
12						
13	Tanish brown with some gray silty clay with some fine sand mixed in. stiff			24"	ST 3	One crimp in bottom of tube
14						

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PROJECT <u>Thomas Hill Dam Study</u>		HOLE NO. <u>D-197</u>		SHEET <u>2</u> OF <u>5</u>		
DEPTH	DESCRIPTION	LOG OR CLASS	NO. BLOWS	CORE RECOV. & LOSS	BOX OR SAMPLE NO.	REMARKS
15	but softer than previous samples damp to moist, plastic, trace of fine gravel	CL		24"	ST 3	
16						
17						
18						
19	Tanish brown silty clay with fine sand and small amounts of fine gravel. Damp, less plastic than before, about	CL		24	ST 4	no crimps in tube
20	same stiffness Less moist					
21						
22						
23	similar to sample 3					
24	Tanish brown silty clay with some trace sand and trace fine gravel Damp to moist, stiff medium plasticity	CL		24"	ST 5	no crimps in tube
25						
26						
27						
28	Brown clay with some silt lesser amounts of sand & gravel Stiff to very stiff, Damp. medium plasticity	CL			ST 6	didn't crimp the bottom of tube, but bent the bolt holes
29						
30						
31						

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PROJECT <u>Thomas Hill Dam Study</u>		HOLE NO. <u>D-197</u>		SHEET <u>3</u> OF <u>5</u>		
DEPTH	DESCRIPTION	LOG OR CLASS	NO. BLOWS	CORE RECOV. & LOSS	BOX OR SAMPLE NO.	REMARKS
33	Brown Silty Clay with some sand and fine gravel, damp, very stiff, medium plasticity.	CL	24		ST	no crimps
34					7	
35						
36						
37						
38						
39	Brown Silty Clay with some sand and ^{fine} gravel, damp, v. stiff to hard, medium to low plasticity	CL	24"		ST	no crimps
40					8	
41						
42						
43						
44						
45	Brown clay, very silty, with a trace of sand, some fine gravel, stiff to hard, damp medium to plasticity	CL	24"		ST	no crimps
46					9	
47						
48						
49						
50						
	Tanish brown sandy clay, damp, stiff, medium plasticity	CL-SC	22		ST 10	bottom of tube is crimped

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PROJECT <u>Thomas Hill Dam Study</u>		HOLE NO. <u>D-197</u>		SHEET <u>4</u> OF <u>5</u>		
DEPTH	DESCRIPTION	LOG OR CLASS	NO. BLOWS	CORE RECOV. & LOSS	BOX OR SAMPLE NO.	REMARKS
51						
52						
53					ST	
54	Brown Silty Clay with some gravel, damp, very stiff, Low plasticity,	CL		18"	11	
55						
56						
57						— Approximately the end of fill
58					ST	
59	Brown and gray sandy silty clay, damp to moist, very stiff, medium plasticity (till)	CL		13"	12	Tube refused after 13" of push. Crimped bottom
60						
61						
62						
63					ST	
64	Gray clay with some silt and sand (till). Damp to moist, stiff, medium to low plasticity	CL		21"	13	No crimps
65						
66						
67						
68						

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PROJECT <i>Thoma: Hill Dam Study</i>		HOLE NO. <i>D-197</i>		SHEET <i>5</i> OF <i>5</i>		
DEPTH	DESCRIPTION	LOG OR CLASS	NO. BLOWS	CORE RECOV. & LOSS	BOX OR SAMPLE NO.	REMARKS
69	<i>Gray & Brown Sandy silty clay Moist to wet, medium stiff Medium to high plasticity</i>	SC		22"	ST	WET SAMPLE
70					14	
71						
72						
73	<i>Top.</i>					<i>wood pieces coming up in wash water</i>
74	<i>Gray clay, very plastic, moist.</i>	CL-CH	24"	ST		
75	<i>Bottom Gray fine to med. sand, very dirty but non- plastic.</i>	SP		IS		
76						
77						
78						
79	<i>Gray sand coming up in the cuttings</i>	SP			ST	<i>No recovery</i>
80					16	
81						
82						<i>Set 24' porous stone piezometer at 82'</i>
83						
84						<i>PS</i>
85	<i>Gray fine to medium sand very dense, clean, poorly graded, no gravel</i>	SP	<i>21 40 41</i>		SS	
86	<i>total depth 84.5</i>				17	<i>84.5</i>

DRILLING LOG

JOB NO. <u>74-217-1</u>		PROJECT <u>Asses. - Thomas Hill Unit #3</u>				HOLE NO. <u>2-198</u>	
GROUND ELEV. <u>697.0</u>		LOCATION <u>Sta. 29+00 North edge of berm</u>				SHEET <u>1</u> OF <u>3</u>	
DRILLING TYPE <u>4" Auger</u>	HOLE DEPTH <u>40'</u>	OVERBURDEN FOOTAGE <u>40'</u>	BEDROCK FOOTAGE <u>0</u>	OVERBURDEN SAMPLES <u>8</u>	NO. CORE BOXES <u>-</u>	% CORE RECOVERY <u>-</u>	WATER TABLE <u>-</u>
DRILLING CO. <u>Raymond International</u>				DRILLER(S) <u>Bud Anderson</u>			
DRILLING RIG. <u>CME 75</u>				PENETRATION TEST. <u>SPT</u>			
DRILLING DATE. <u>7/21/77</u> TO <u>7/21/77</u>				INSPECTOR(S) <u>PATRICK GOEKE</u>			

DEPTH	DESCRIPTION	LOG OR CLASS	NO. BLOWS	CORE RECOV. & LOSS	BOX OR SAMPLE NO.	REMARKS
1						
2						
3						
4	Brown Silty Clay with traces of fine sand and fine gravel Stiff, damp, medium plasticity	CL		24"	ST 1	No crimps on tube
5						
6						
7						
8						
9	Same as above with slightly more sand and slightly higher moisture content.	CL		24"	ST 2	
10						
11						
12						
13						
14	Top: Same as above			18"	ST 3	3' sand blanket encountered
	Bottom: Brown sand, fine to med. grained clean, dry to damp					

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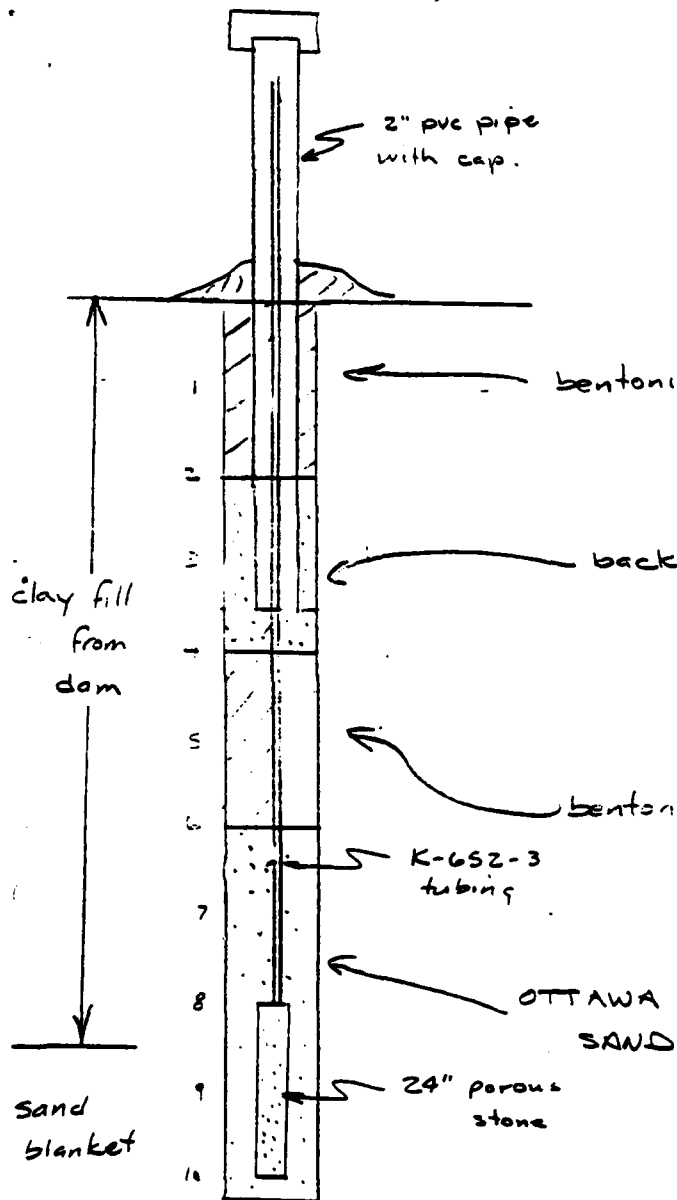
PROJECT <i>Assoc. - Thomas Hill Unit #3</i>		HOLE NO. <i>D-198</i>		SHEET <i>2</i> OF <i>3</i>		
DEPTH	DESCRIPTION	LOG OR CLASS	NO. BLOWS	CORE RECOV. & LOSS	BOX OR SAMPLE NO.	REMARKS
15	Bottom: Brown sand from drainage blanket.				ST 3	
16						
17						
18	Bit tip wet when pulled from hole					
19	Brown silty clay with trace of fine sand and fine gravel, damp to moist, plastic, stiff	CL		24"	ST 4	
20						
21						
22						
23						
24	Brown medium sand, dirty, medium dense, moist, no gravels.	SP	6/13/13	18"	SS 5	No recovery drove spoon to pick up sample
25						
26						
27						
28						
29	Grayish brown very silty clay. Moist to damp, plastic, med. stiffness	CL	4/5/6		SS 6	
30						
31						
32						

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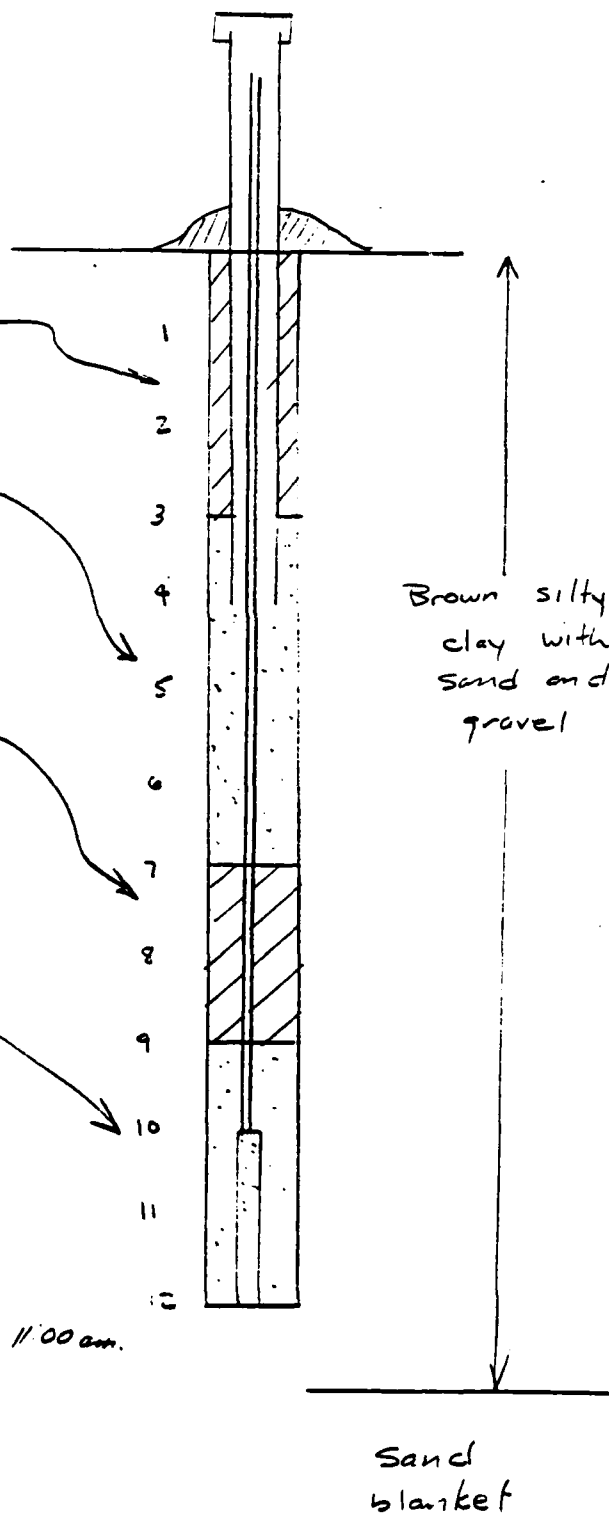
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DEPTH	DESCRIPTION	LOG OR CLASS	NO. BLOWS	CORE RECOV. & LOSS	BOX OR SAMPLE NO.	REMARKS
33	Brown clayey sand, wet, soft Low plasticity	SC		?	ST	
34					7	
35	Gray medium sand, dirty wet, medium dense.		4 5 6	15"	SS 8	
36						
37						
38						
39	Total depth 40' FT					
40						
41						
42						
43						
44						
45						
46						
47						
48						
49						
50						

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Boring D-199
(near relief wells)



Boring D-198
(at toe of 4:1 slope)



Started piezometer installation at 11:00 am.
Finished piezometers at 1:30 pm.

DRILLING LOG

JOB NO. <u>76-017-3-005</u>		PROJECT <u>Assoc.</u>		HOLE NO. <u>D-199</u>			
GROUND ELEV. <u>690</u>		LOCATION <u>Sta 29 near relief well</u>				SHEET <u>1</u> OF <u>1</u>	
DRILLING TYPE	HOLE DEPTH	OVERBURDEN FOOTAGE	BEDROCK FOOTAGE	OVERBURDEN SAMPLES	NO. CORE BOXES	% CORE RECOVERY	WATER TABLE
<u>4" Auger</u>	<u>30'</u>	<u>30'</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>
DRILLING CO. <u>Raymond Intr.</u>				DRILLER(S) <u>Bud Anderson</u>			
DRILLING RIG <u>CME 75</u>				PENETRATION TEST <u>SPT</u>			
DRILLING DATE <u>7/25/77</u> TO <u></u>				INSPECTOR(S) <u>Patrick Goerke</u>			

DEPTH	DESCRIPTION	LOG OR CLASS	NO. BLOWS	CORE RECOV. & LOSS	BOX OR SAMPLE NO.	REMARKS
2						
4	Brown clay with sand, silt and fine gravel, damp, stiff.	CL		24"	ST 1	
6						
8	same in top					
10	bottom fine to med. brown sand			24"	ST 2	
12						
14	brown silty sandy clay moist, plastic, med. stiff	CL-SC		24"	ST 3	
16						
18	brown very silty sandy clay moist to wet very plastic	SC		18"	ST 4	
20						
22						
24					ST 5	
26						
28	Grayish blue organic sandy silty clayey gravelly alluvial deposit				SS-6	hole beginning to cave driven from 25 to 30

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wet.

Total depth 30'

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LABORATORY TEST RESULTS

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SUMMARY OF SOIL TESTS

ASSOC. Elec.--- Thomas Hill

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PROJECT NO

PROJECT

BORING NUMBER	SAMPLE NUMBER	DEPTH ft	MOISTURE %	DRY UNIT WT - PCF	UNCONFINED COMPRESSION		ATTERBERG LIMITS			% -200	UNIFIED CLASSIFICATION	SPECIFIC GRAVITY			REMARKS
					PSF	%E	LL	PL	PI						
D 197	ST 1	3.0- 5.0	15.2	115.9	8066	6.3									
	ST 2	8.0-10.0	16.3	118.0	7156	10.8									
	ST 3	13.0-15.0	15.3	116.7			40	16	24	71.2	CL	2.684			triaxial compression
	ST 4	18.0-20.0	16.6	115.1											
	ST 5	23.0-25.0	16.3	112.0											
	ST 6	28.0-30.0	15.3	115.7	11012	3.1									'no failure / shear test
	ST 7	33.0-35.0	15.3	115.1											permeability test
	ST 8	38.0-40.0	14.8	119.8											
	ST 9	43.0-45.0	13.4	118.2	11112	2.2									'no failure / shear test
	ST 10	48.0-50.0	16.1	117.0											
	ST 11	53.0-55.0													not tested
	ST 12	58.0-60.0	16.1	116.1											
	ST 13	63.0-65.0	19.8	108.0	6701	4.5									permeability test
	ST 14	68.0-70.0	19.0	104.0			27	16	11	61.9	CL	2.699			triaxial compression
	ST 15	73.0-75.0	24.9	99.4	2933	6.3									permeability test
	ST 16	78.0-80.0													not tested
	ST 17	83.0-84.5													not tested
	ST 1	3.0- 5.0	16.4	119.1											
	ST 2	8.0-10.0	17.6	114.2			41	17	24	72.9	CL	2.736			triaxial compression
	ST 3	13.0-15.0	17.6	111.8											permeability

SUMMARY OF SOIL TESTS

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PROJECT NO.

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BORING NO.

D 197

SAMPLE NO.

DEPTH: 3.0-5.0 ft.

%
STRAIN PSF
STRESS

0.9 3611

1.8 5161

2.7 6281

3.6 7071

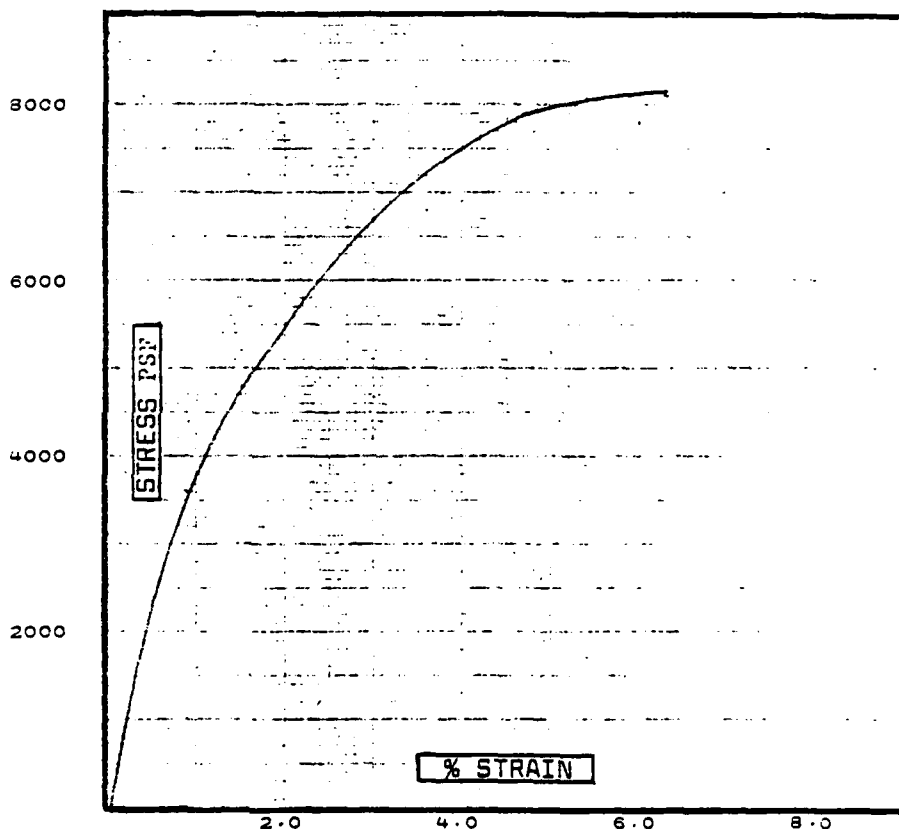
5.4 8003

6.3 8066

FAILURE SKETCH



UNCONFINED COMPRESSION



DESCRIPTION:

Brown silty clay with calcareous deposits and subangular gravel

DIAMETER:

2.85 in.

HEIGHT:

5.58 in.

MOISTURE:

15.2 percent

UNIT DRY WEIGHT:

115.9 lbs/ft³

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BORING NO. D 197

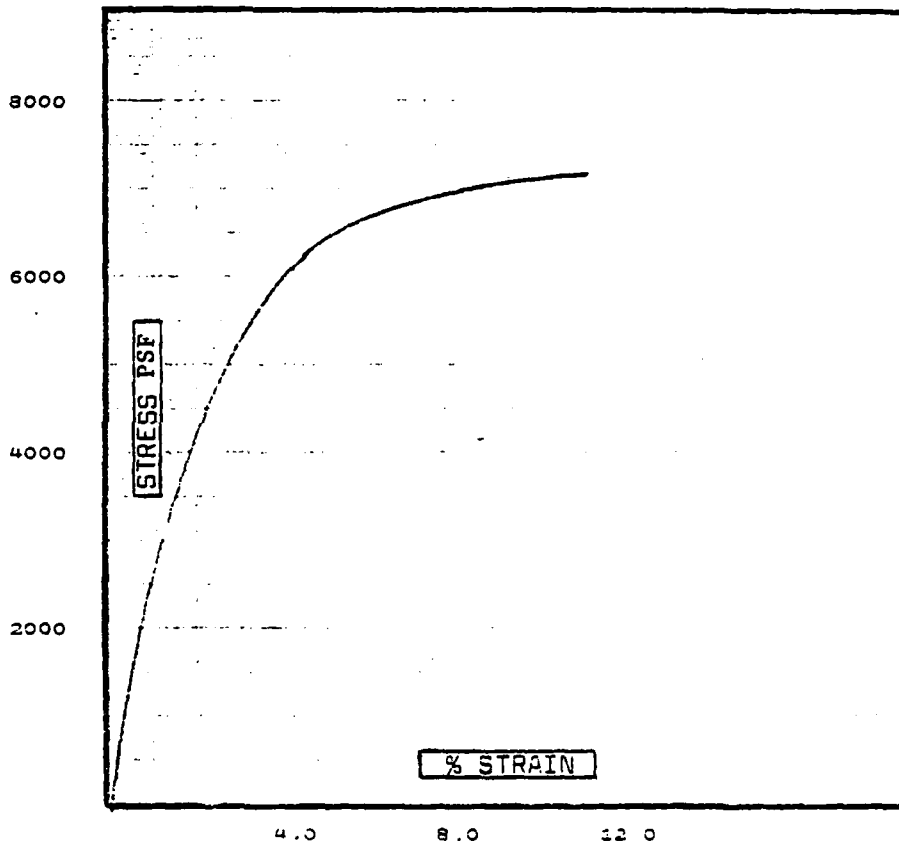
SAMPLE NO.

DEPTH: 9.0-10.0 ft.

<u>% STRAIN</u>	<u>PSF STRESS</u>
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1.3	3062
2.7	5044
4.5	6257
6.3	6898
9.0	7123
10.8	7156

UNCONFINED COMPRESSION



FAILURE SKETCH



DESCRIPTION:

Brown mottled gray silty clay with calcareous deposits and small rounded gravel

DIAMETER:

2.85 in.

HEIGHT:

5.58 in.

MOISTURE:

16.3 percent

UNIT DRY WEIGHT:

113.0 lbs/ft³

KANSAS CITY TESTING LABORATORY

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BORING NO. D 197

SAMPLE NO.

DEPTH: 28.0-30.0 ft.

<u>%</u> <u>STRAIN</u>	<u>PSF</u> <u>STRESS</u>
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0.4	3236
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0.9	5573
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1.3	7307
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1.8	8619
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2.2	9607
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2.7	10422
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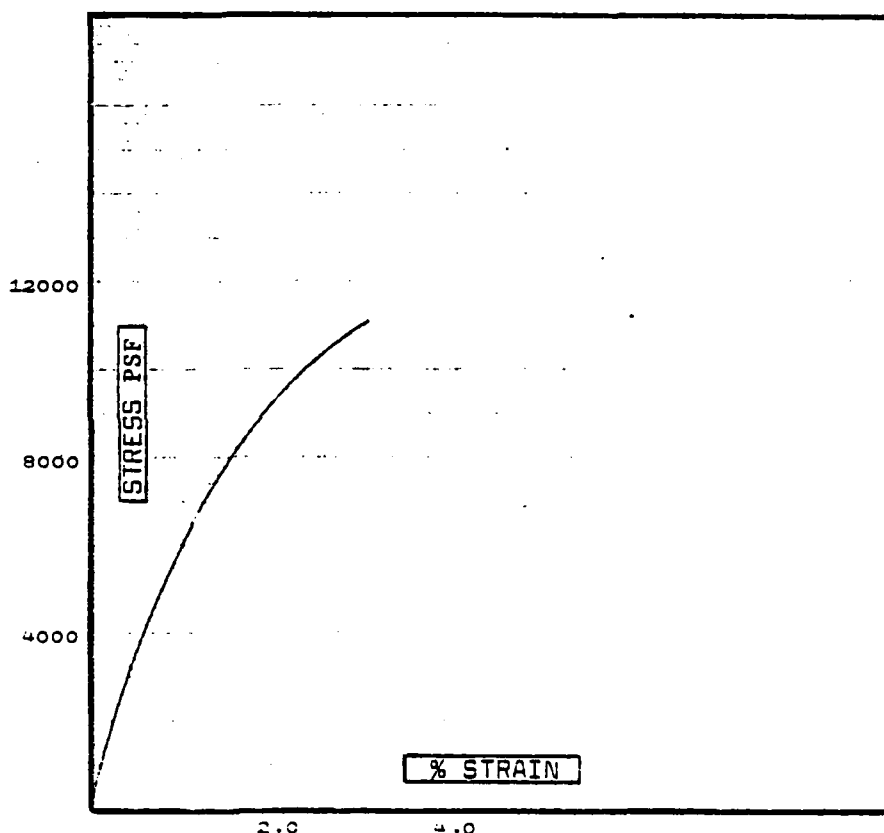
3.1	11012
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No failure

FAILURE SKETCH



UNCONFINED COMPRESSION



DESCRIPTION:

Light brown slightly silty clay with minor subrounded gravel

DIAMETER:

2.85 in.

HEIGHT:

5.38 in.

MOISTURE:

15.3 percent

UNIT DRY WEIGHT:

115.7 lbs/ft³

KANSAS CITY TESTING LABORATORY

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BORING NO. D 197

SAMPLE NO.

DEPTH: 43.0-45.0 ft.

<u>%</u> <u>STRAIN</u>	<u>PSF</u> <u>STRESS</u>
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0.4	3528
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0.9	6371
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1.3	8443
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1.8	10035
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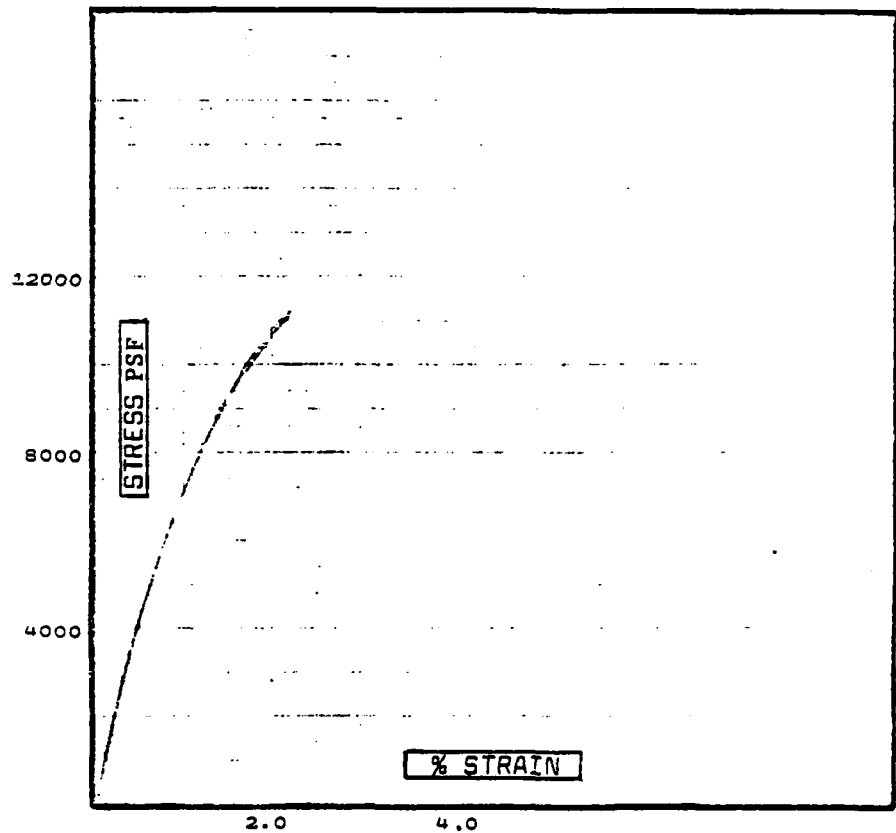
2.2	11112
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No failure

FAILURE SKETCH



UNCONFINED COMPRESSION



DESCRIPTION:

Light brown silty clay with calcareous deposits and subangular gravel

DIAMETER:

2.85 in.

HEIGHT:

5.58 in.

MOISTURE:

13.4 percent

UNIT DRY WEIGHT:

118.2 lbs/ft³

KANSAS CITY TESTING LABORATORY

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BORING NO. D 197

SAMPLE NO.

DEPTH: 63.0-65.0 ft.

<u>%</u> <u>STRAIN</u>	<u>PSF</u> <u>STRESS</u>
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0.9	3199
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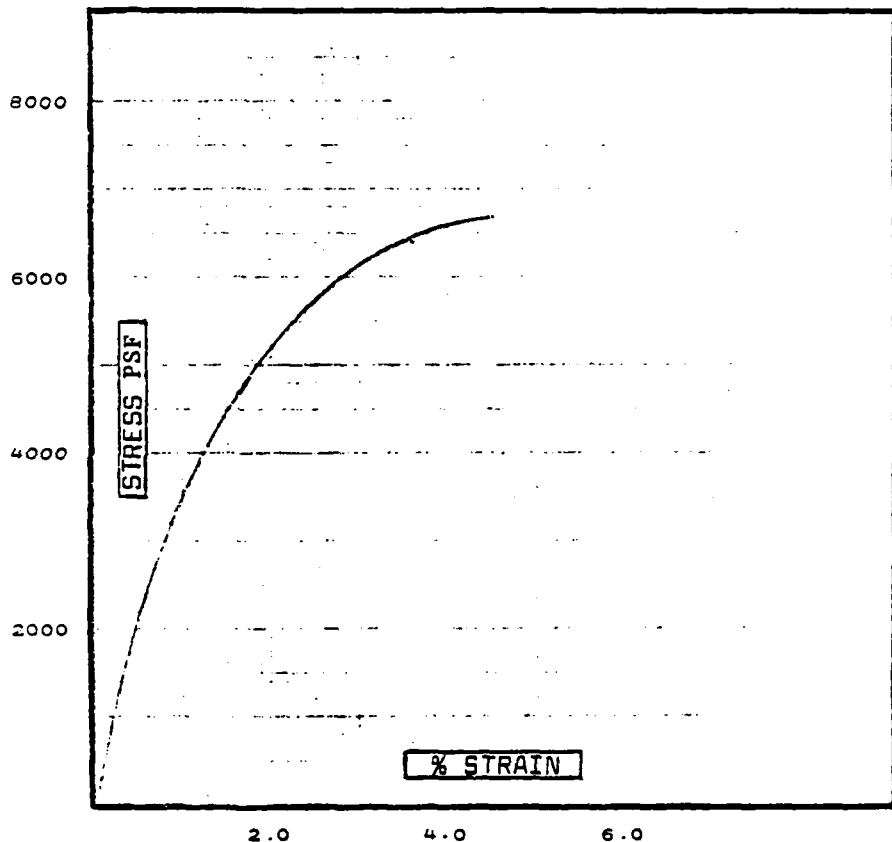
1.8	5017
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2.7	5949
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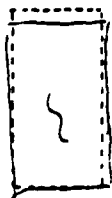
3.6	6457
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4.5	6701
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UNCONFINED COMPRESSION



FAILURE SKETCH



DESCRIPTION:

Dark brown silty clay with minor slickensides and iron nodules

DIAMETER:

2.85 in.

HEIGHT:

5.58 in.

MOISTURE:

19.8 percent

UNIT DRY WEIGHT:

108.0 lbs/ft³

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BORING NO.

D 197

SAMPLE NO.

DEPTH: 73.0-75.0 ft.

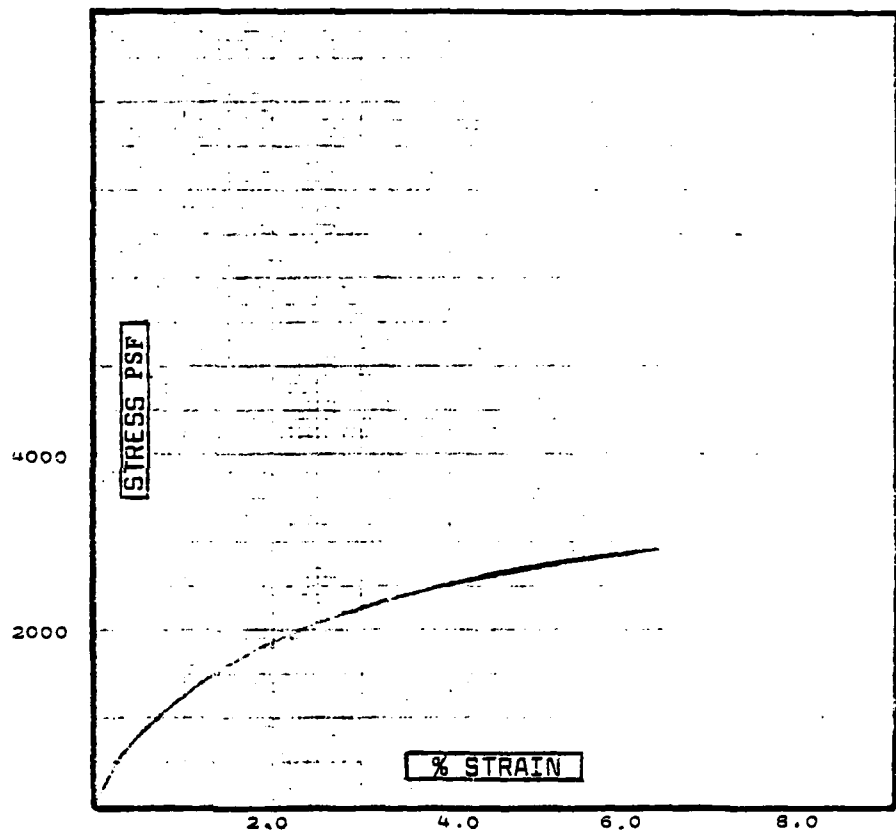
<u>% STRAIN</u>	<u>PSF STRESS</u>
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0.4	852
1.3	1397
2.2	1911
3.1	2320
4.5	2708
5.4	2915
6.3	2933

FAILURE SKETCH



UNCONFINED COMPRESSION



DESCRIPTION:

Gray silty clay with sandy lenses

DIAMETER:

2.85 in.

HEIGHT:

5.38 in.

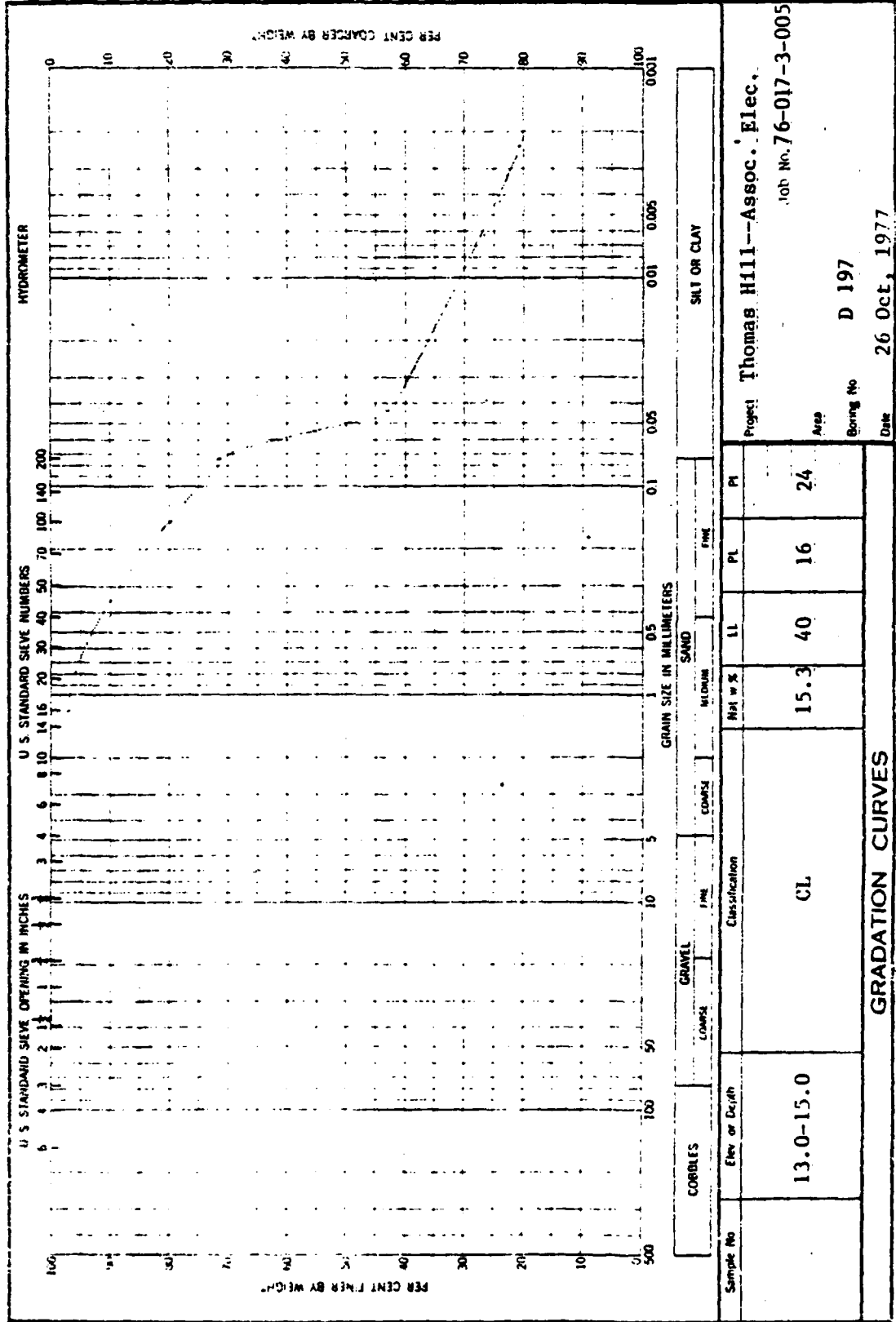
MOISTURE:

14.9 percent

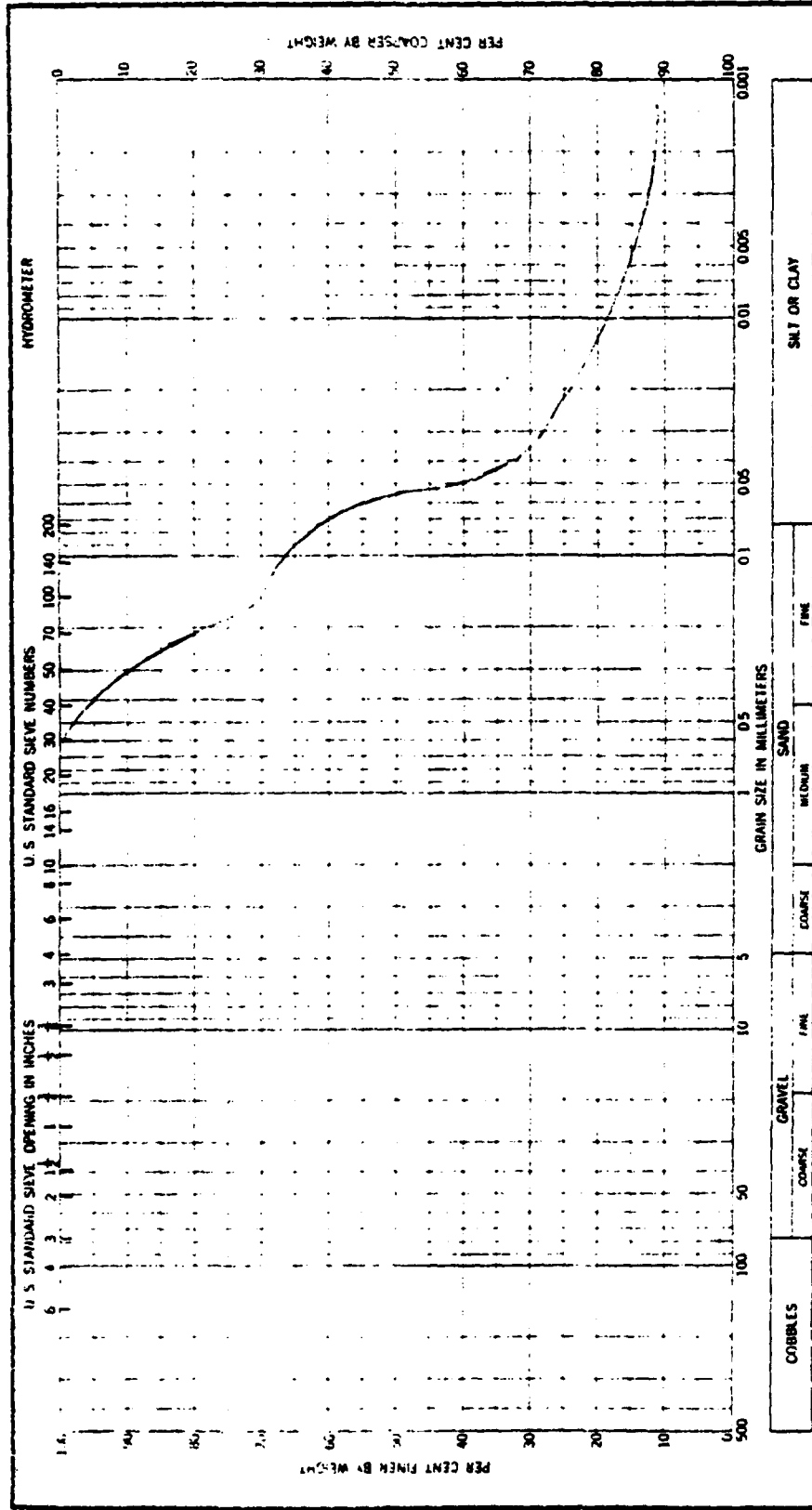
UNIT DRY WEIGHT:

99.4 percent

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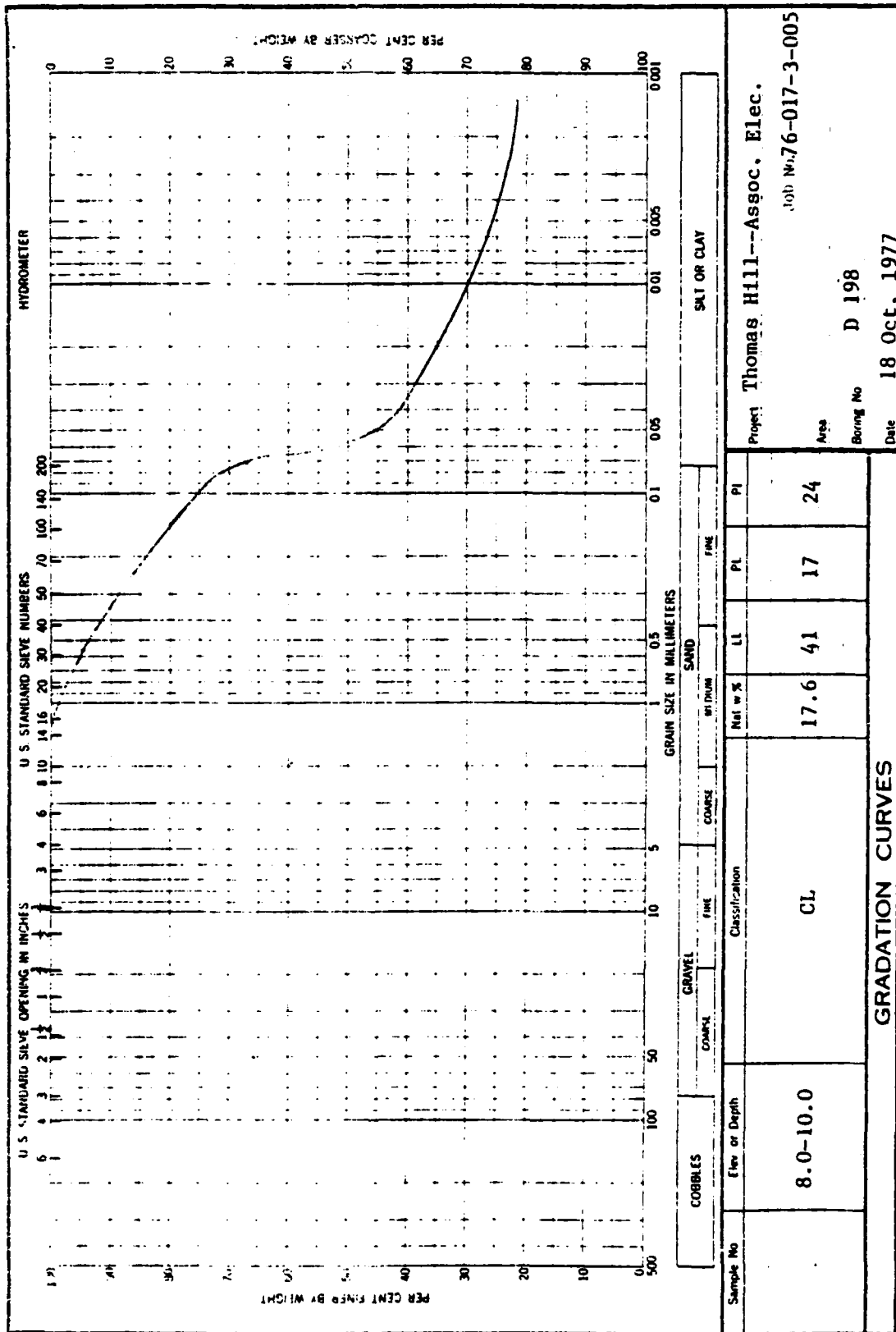


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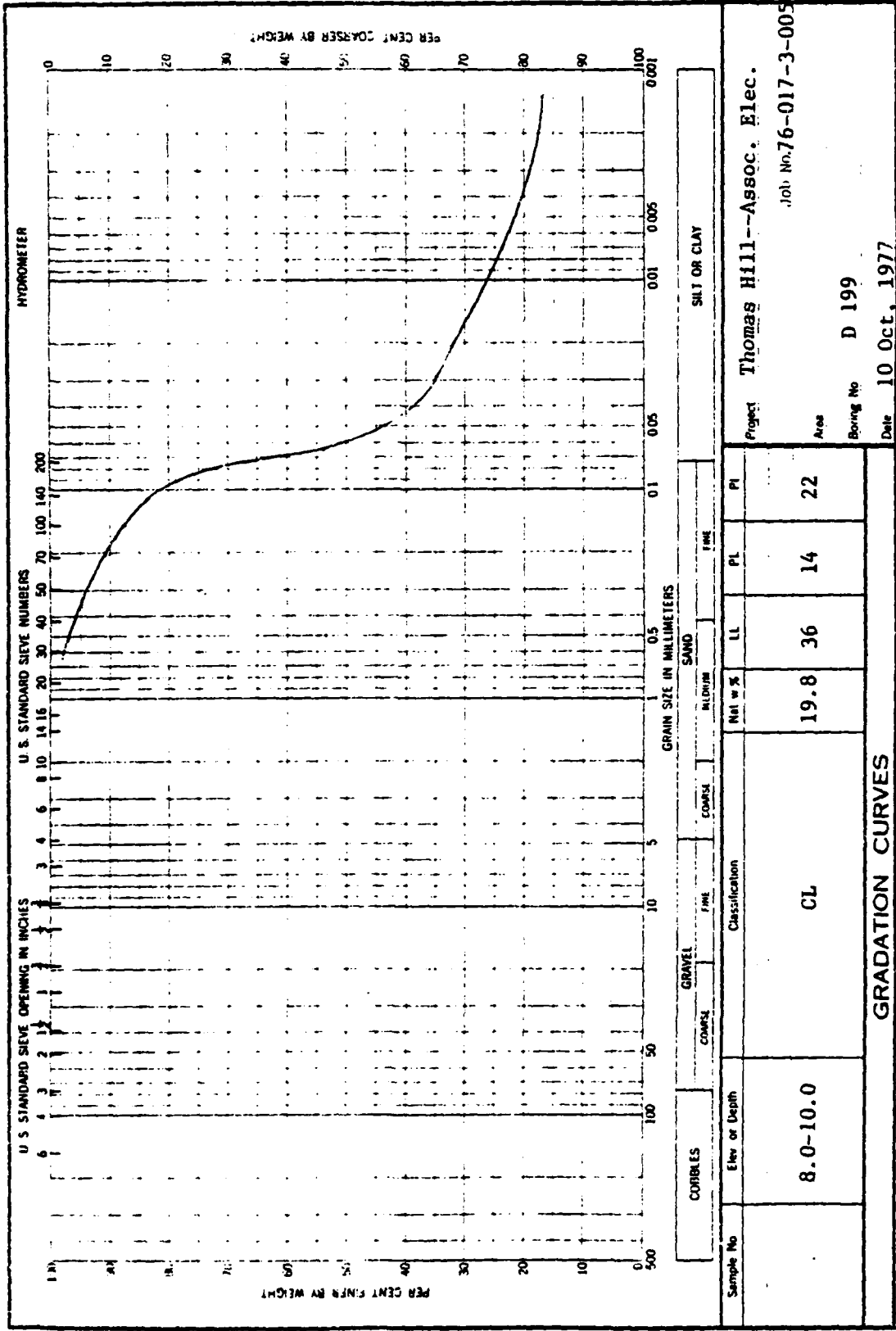


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Project: Thomas Hill---Assoc. Elec. Job No. 76-017-3-005 Boring No. D 197 Date 20 October, 1977											

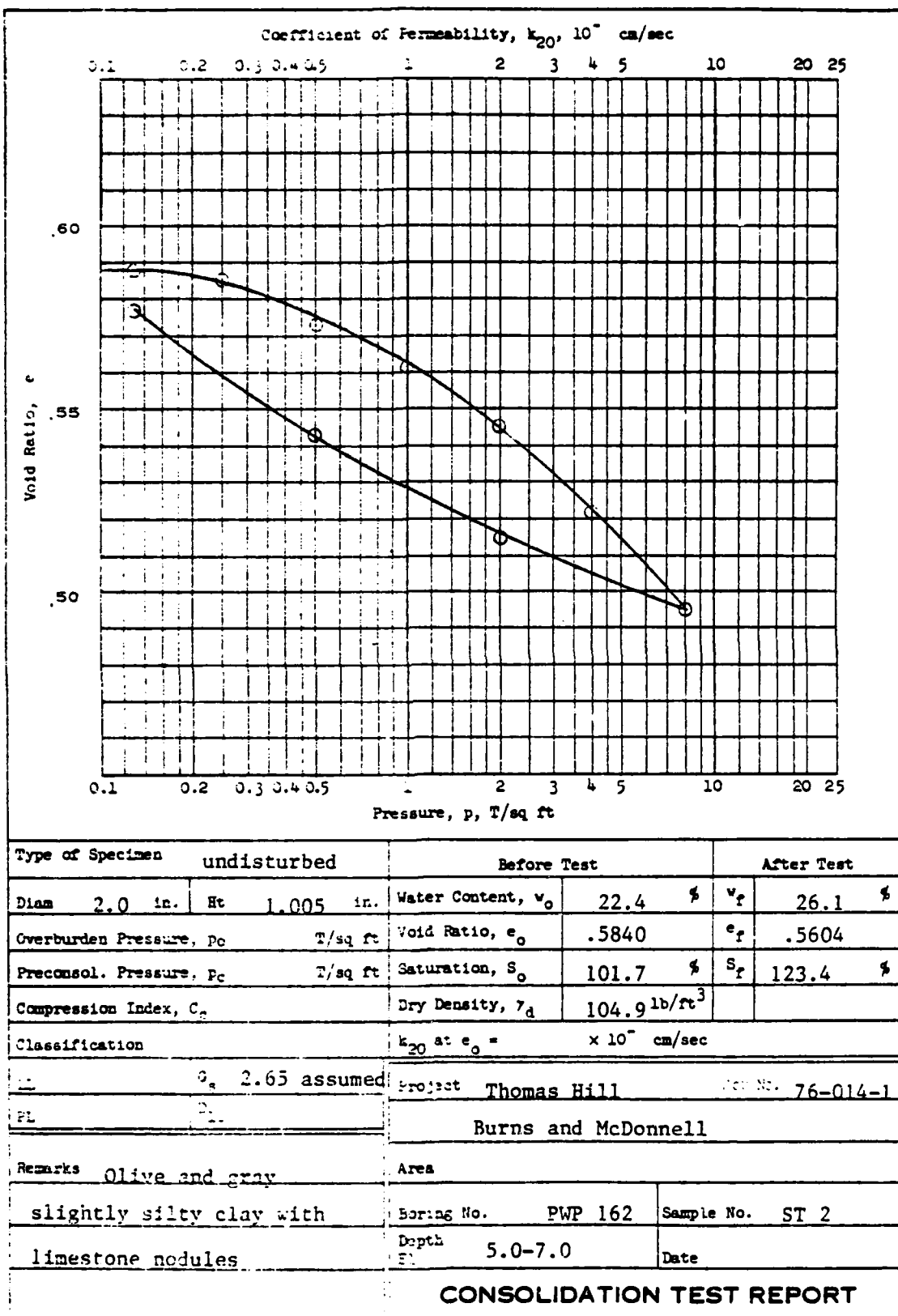
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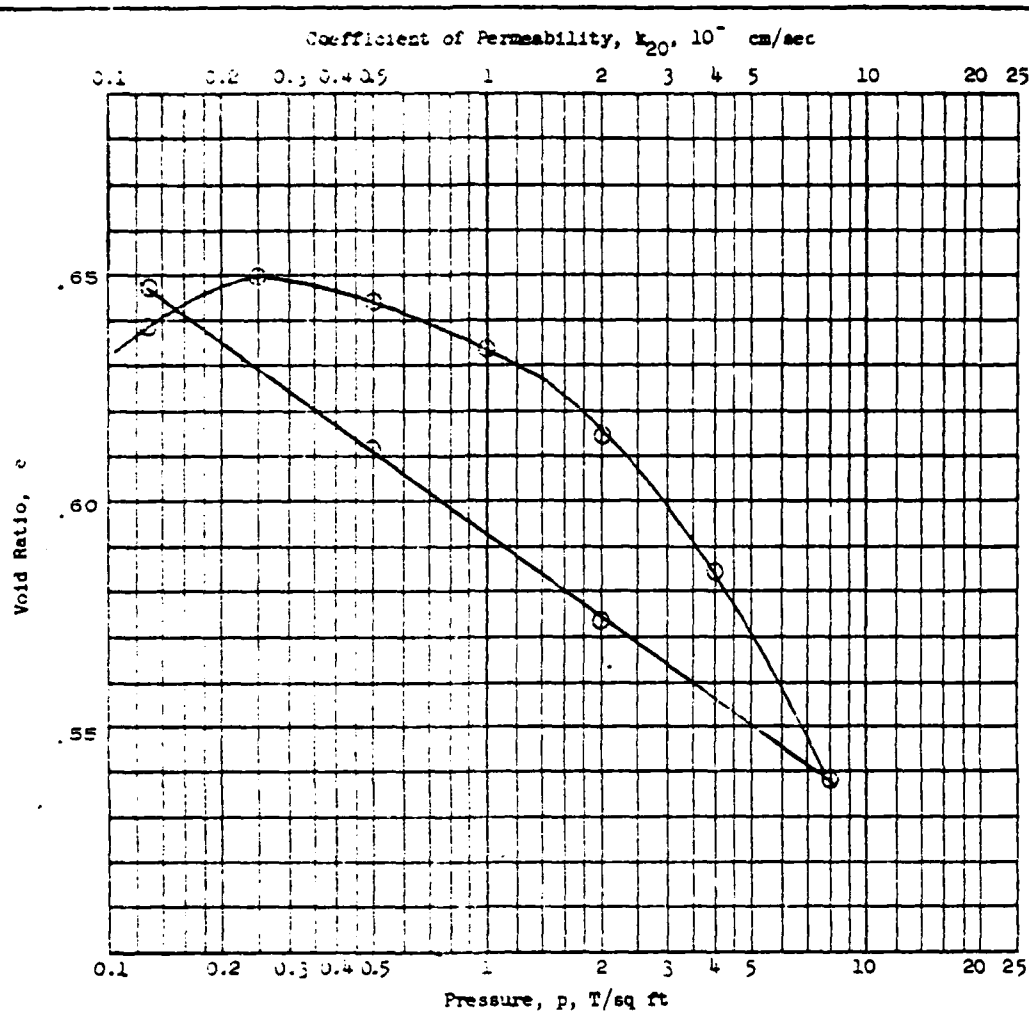
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Type of Specimen	undisturbed	Before Test		After Test	
Diam 2.0 in.	Et 1.005 in.	Water Content, w_o	24.5 %	w_f	29.5 %
Overburden Pressure, P_o	7/sq ft	Void Ratio, e_o	.6162	e_f	.7007
Preconsol. Pressure, P_c	7/sq ft	Saturation, S_o	105.3 %	S_f	103.7 %
Compression Index, C_c		Dry Density, γ_d	99.5 lb/ft ³		
Classification		k_{20} at e_o =	$\times 10^{-7}$ cm/sec		
σ_a 2.65 assumed		Project	Thomas Hill	Job No. 76-017-1	
FL		Burns and McDonnell			
Remarks	Brown silty clay	Area			
		Boring No.	ST 166	Sample No.	S 2
		Depth	8.0-10.0 ft.	Date	

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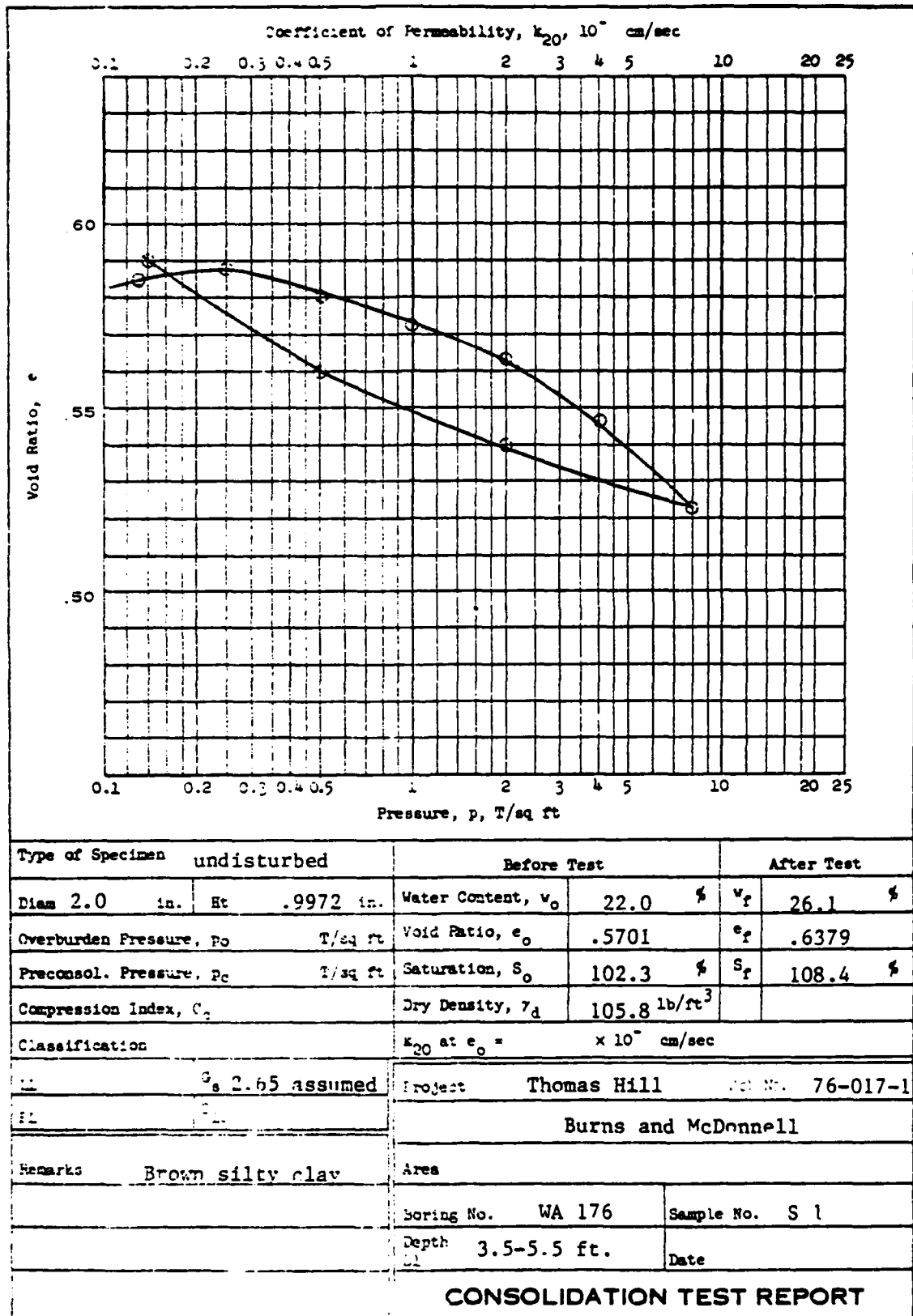
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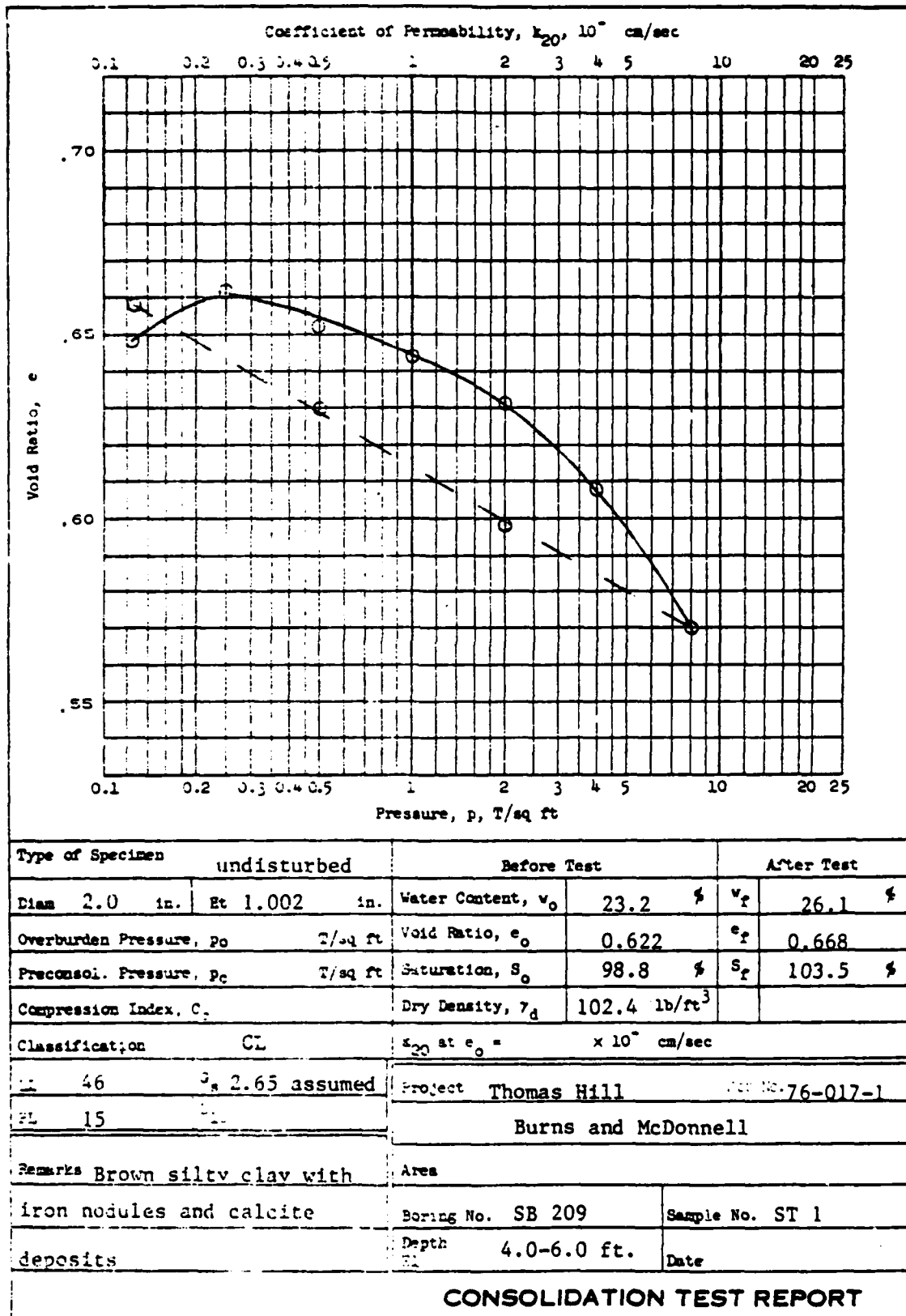
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Burns and McDonnell
Assoc. Elec.--Thomas Hill
76-017-1

PERMEABILITY TEST DATA

<u>Boring No</u>	<u>Sample No</u>	<u>Depth, ft</u>	<u>% Moisture</u>		<u>Density PCF</u>	<u>k x 10⁶</u>
			<u>Initial</u>	<u>Final</u>		
D 197	ST 7	33.0-35.0	15.3	23.1	115.1	0.15
D 197	ST 13	63.0-65.0	20.9	21.8	104.9	0.28
D 197	ST 15	73.0-75.0	15.5	23.3	108.7*	0.72
D 198	ST 3	13.0-15.0	0	17.8	101.0*	270

<u>Boring No</u>	<u>Sample No</u>	<u>Depth, ft</u>	<u>Days Saturated</u>	<u>Description</u>
D 197	ST 7	33.0-35.0	18	Light brown mottled gray silty clay with calcareous deposits
D 197	ST 13	63.0-65.0	14	Dark brown silty clay with minor slickensides and iron nodules
D 197	ST 15	73.0-75.0	13	Gray silty clay with sand lenses
D 198	ST 3	13.0-15.0	6	Tan, medium grained sand

*sample remolded

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TRIAXIAL COMPRESSION

MOHR STRESS ENVELOPE

R-TEST

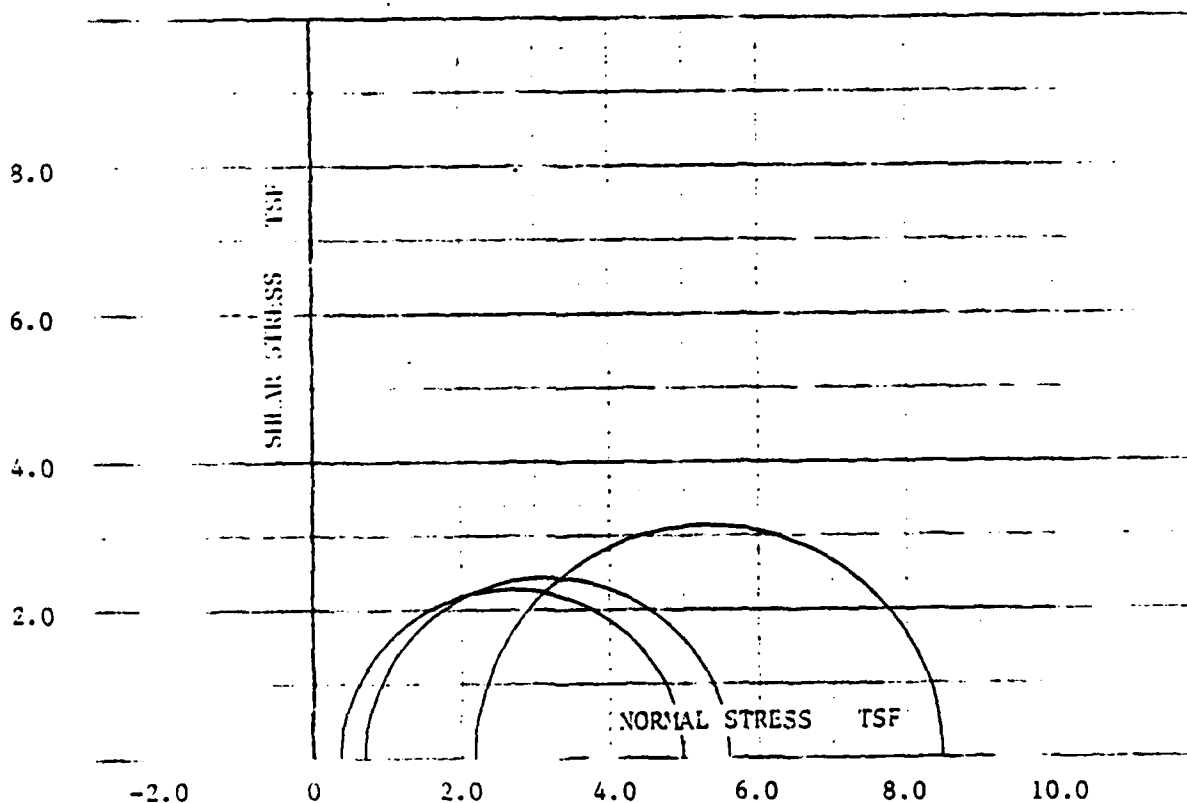
PROJECT: Thomas Hill

PROJECT NO: 76-017-3-005

BORING NO: D 197

DEPTH: 13.0-15.0 ft.

DESCRIPTION: Brown mottled gray silty clay with sand and gravel. Sample no 3 had slickensides



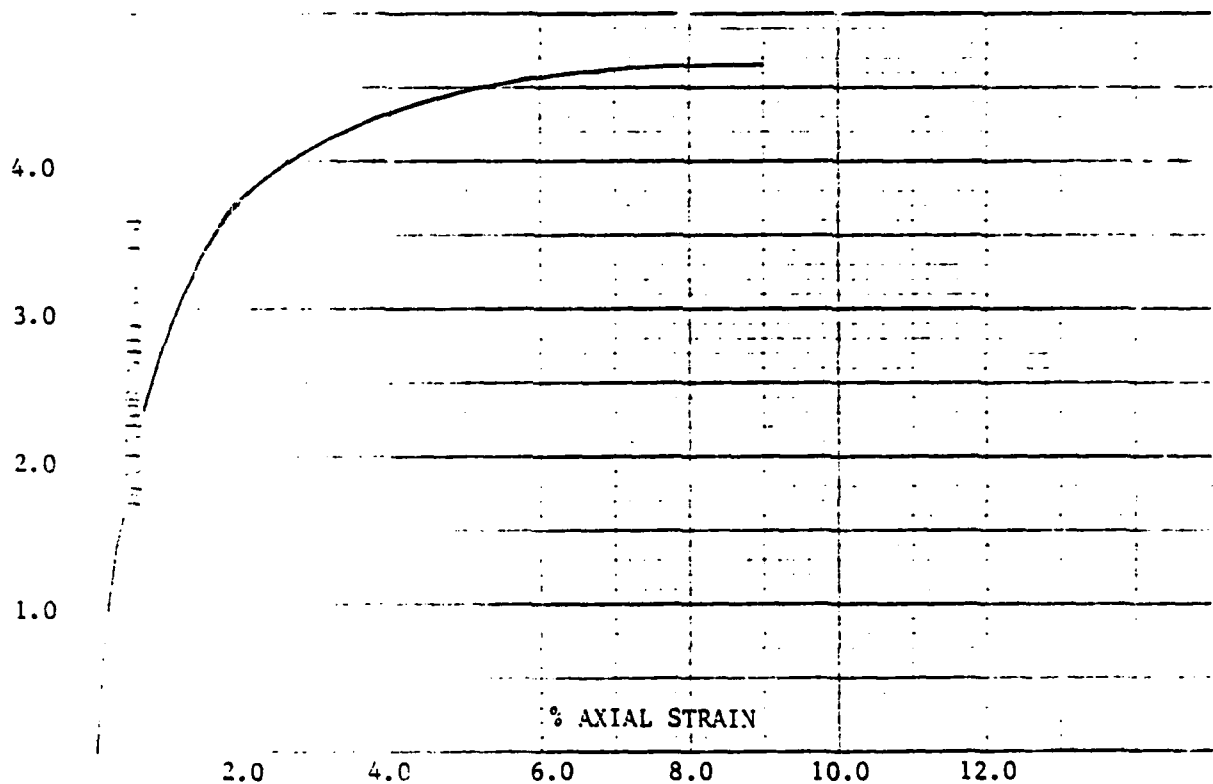
SAMPLE NO	1	2	3
MOISTURE	15.3	16.2	16.3
UNIT WGT. TSF	116.7	116.7	114.1
CONFINING PRESSURE TSF	0.36	0.71	2.16
MAXIMUM STRESS TSF	4.65	4.86	6.41
MAXIMUM STRA	9.0	12.5	7.2

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TRIAXIAL COMPRESSION

STRESS-STRAIN RELATIONSHIP

SUBJECT: Thomas Hill PROJECT NO: 76-017-3-005
BORING NO: D 197 SAMPLE NO: ST 3 1 DEPTH: 13.0-15.0 ft.



2.85 in.

HEIGHT: 5.58 in.

15.3 percent

UNIT DRY WEIGHT: 116.7 lbs/ft³

5 PSI

NATURAL X REMOLDED

4.65 TSF

AXIAL STRAIN: 9.0 percent

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TRIAXIAL COMPRESSION STRESS-STRAIN RELATIONSHIP

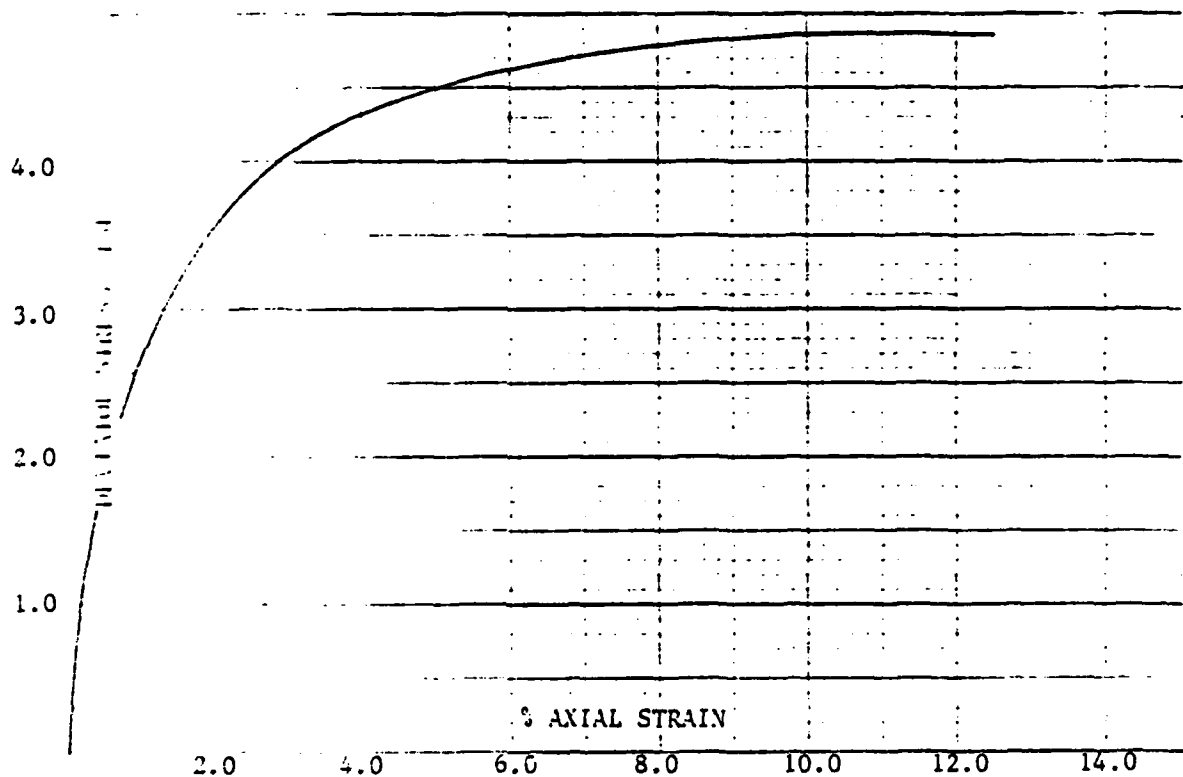
PROJECT: Thomas Hill

PROJECT NO: 76-017-3-005

BORING NO: D 197

SAMPLE NO: ST 3 2

DEPTH: 13.0-15.0 ft.



2.85 in.

HEIGHT: 5.58 in.

16.2 percent

UNIT DRY WEIGHT: 116.7 lbs/ft³

10 PSI

NATURAL X REMOLDED

4.86 TSF

AXIAL STRAIN: 12.5 percent

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TRIAXIAL COMPRESSION

STRESS-STRAIN RELATIONSHIP

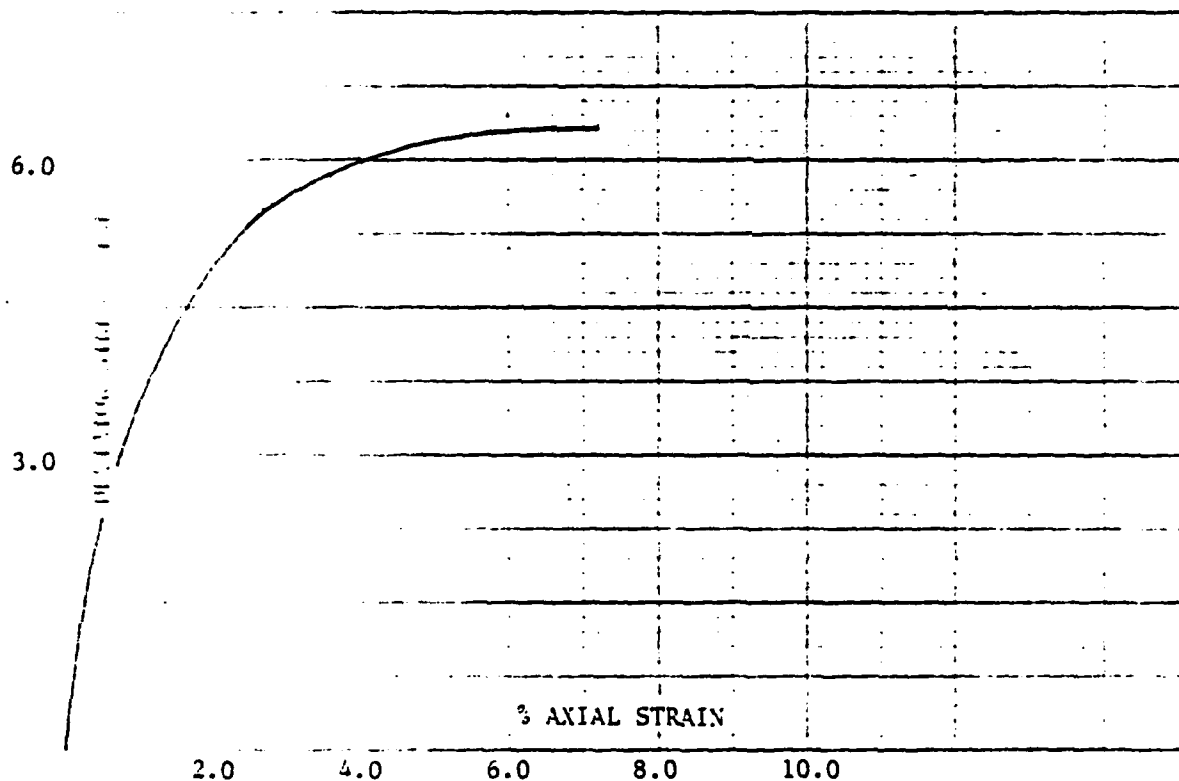
PROJECT: Thomas Hill

PROJECT NO: 76-017-3-005

BORING NO: D 197

SAMPLE NO: ST 3 3

DEPTH: 13.0-15.0 ft.



2.85 in.

HEIGHT: 5.58 in.

16.3 percent

UNIT DRY WEIGHT: 114.1 lbs/ft³

30 PSI

NATURAL X

REMOLDED

6.41 TSF

AXIAL STRAIN: 7.2 percent

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TRIAXIAL COMPRESSION

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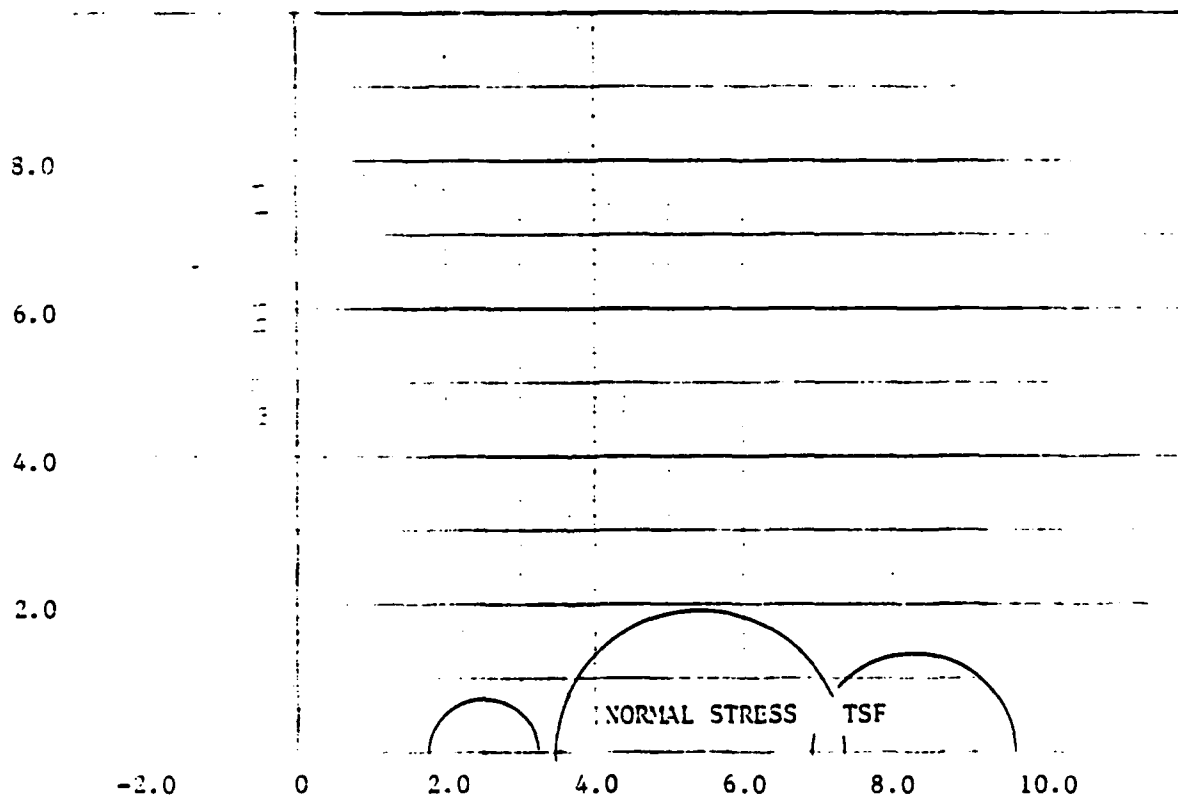
PROJECT: Thomas Hill

PROJECT NO: 76-017-3-005

DEPTH: D 197

DEPTH: 68.0-70.0 ft.

Gray mottled rust, sandy, silty clay with sand lenses



1	2	3
19.3	19.0	23.1
105.6	104.0	104.3
1.73	3.46	6.91
1.52	3.90	2.72
17.6	16.9	17.6

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TRIAXIAL COMPRESSION

STRESS-STRAIN RELATIONSHIP

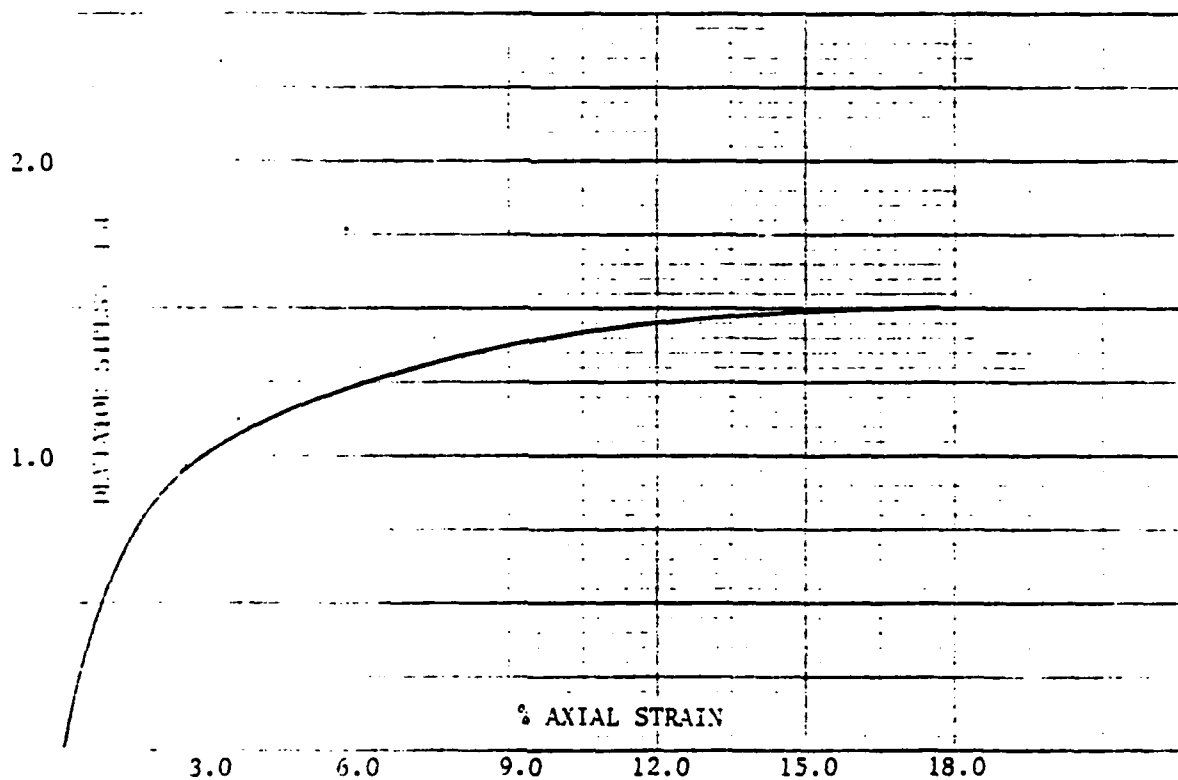
PROJECT: Thomas Hill

PROJECT NO: 76-017-3-005

LOCATION: D 197

SAMPLE NO: ST 14 1

DEPTH: 68.0-70.0 ft.



1.85 in.

HEIGHT: 5.58 in.

19.3 percent

UNIT DRY WEIGHT: 105.6 lbs/ft³

24 PSI

NATURAL X REMOLDED

1.52 TSE

AXIAL STRAIN: 17.6 percent

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TRIAXIAL COMPRESSION

STRESS-STRAIN RELATIONSHIP

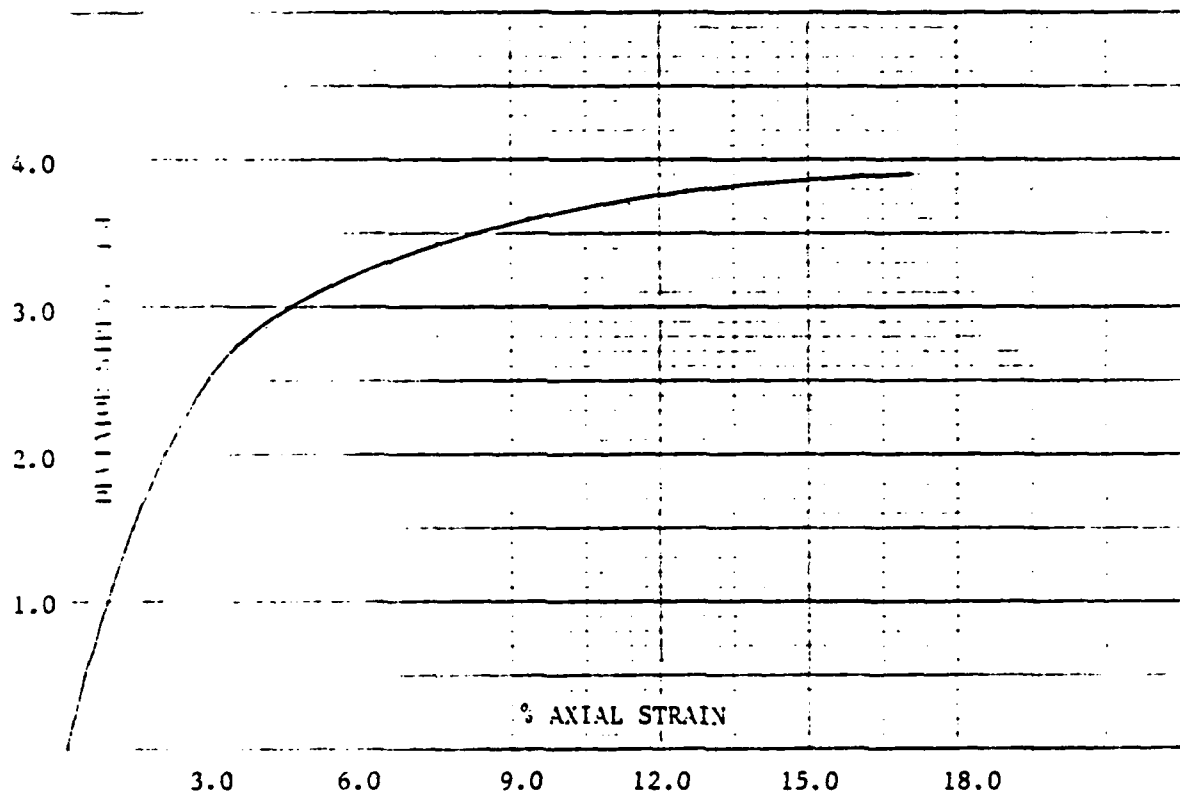
PROJECT: Thomas Hill

PROJECT NO: 76-017-3-005

BORING NO: D 197

SAMPLE NO: ST 14

2 DEPTH: 68.0-70.0 ft.



2.85 in.

HEIGHT: 5.58 in.

19.0 percent

UNIT DRY WEIGHT: 104.0 lbs/ft³

48 PSI

NATURAL X REMOLDED

3.90 TSF

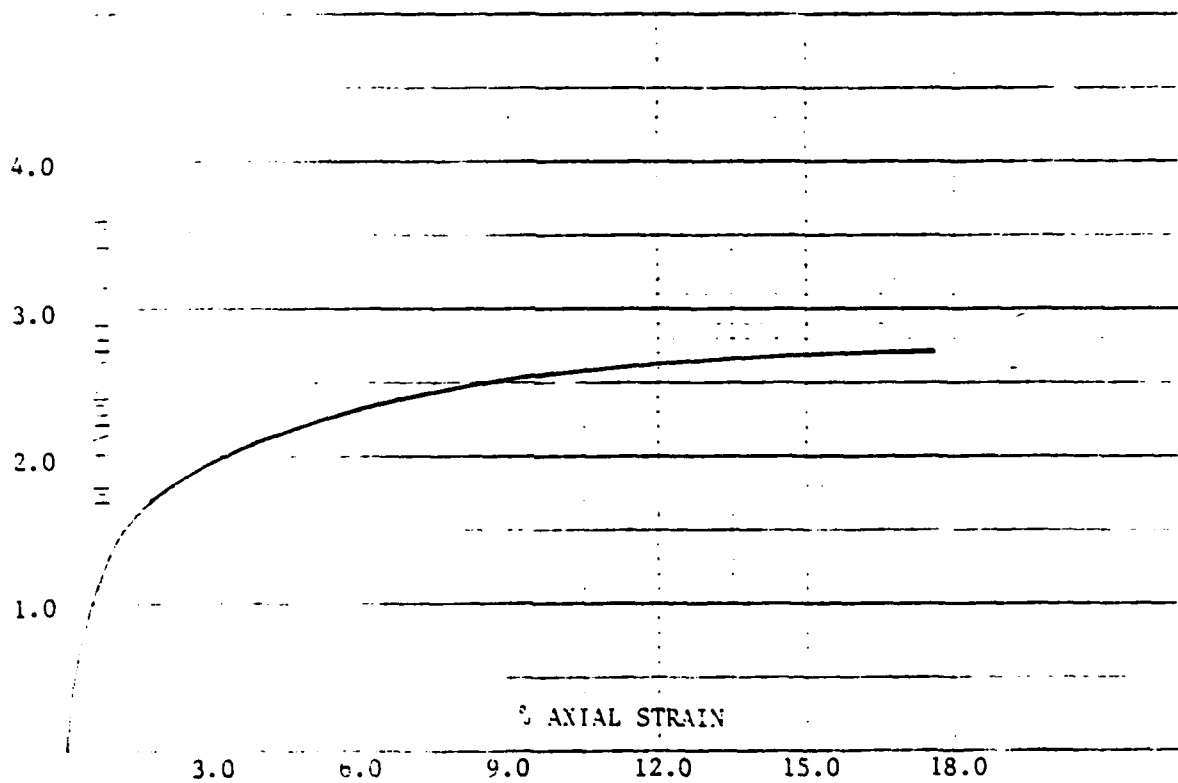
AXIAL STRAIN: 16.9 percent

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TRIAxIAL COMPRESSION

STRESS-STRAIN RELATIONSHIP

PROJECT: Thomas Hill PROJECT NO: 76-017-3-005
DEPTH: D 197 SAMPLE NO: ST 14 3 DEPTH: 68.0-70.0 ft.



2.85 in.

HEIGHT: 5.58 in.

23.1 percent

UNIT DRY WEIGHT: 104.3 lbs/ft³

96 PSI

NATURAL X REMOLDED

2.72 ISF

AXIAL STRAIN: 17.6 percent

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TRIAxIAL COMPRESSION

MOHR STRESS ENVELOPE

R-TEST

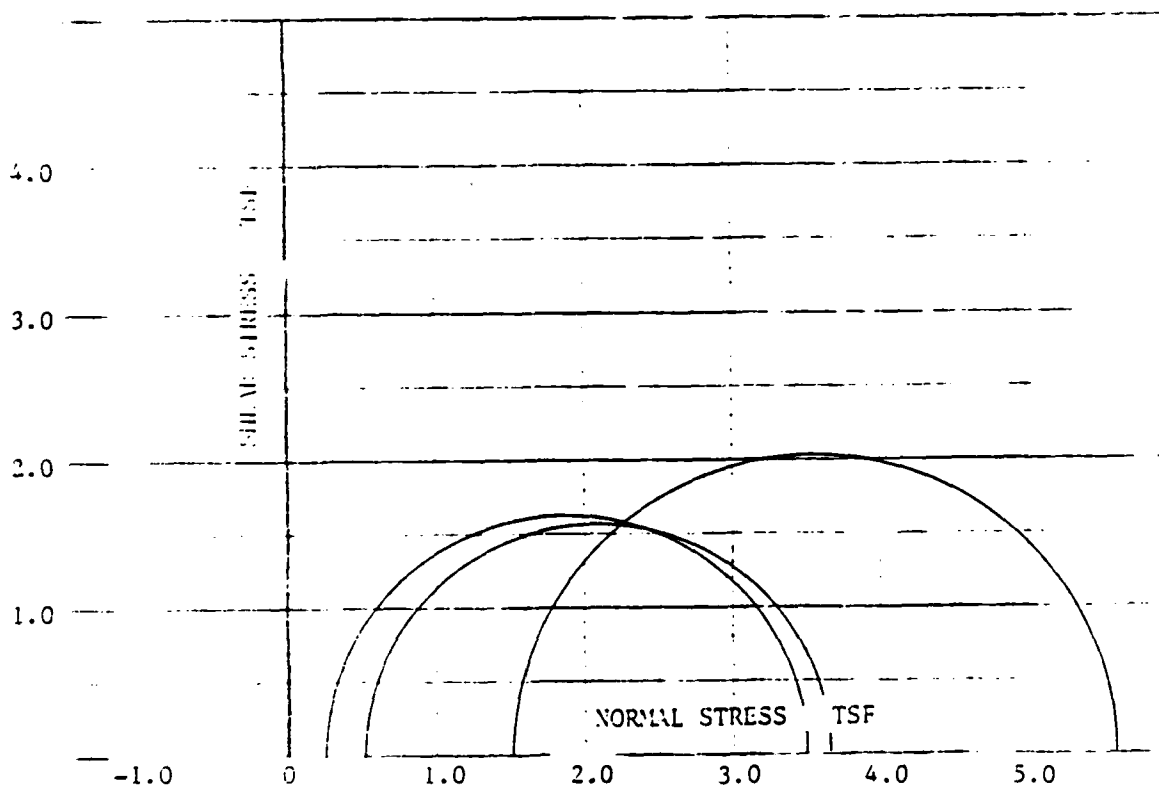
PROJECT: Thomas Hill

PROJECT NO: 76-017-3-005

BORING NO: D 198

DEPTH: 8.0-10.0 ft.

DESCRIPTION: Brown, tan and gray mottled silty clay with sand and minor gravel



SAMPLE NO	1	2	3
MOISTURE	17.6	17.5	18.1
UNIT DRY WT	114.2	113.4	112.1
CONFINING PRESS - TSF	0.25	0.50	1.51
MAXIMUM STRESS	3.27	3.14	4.07
AXIAL STRAIN	10.8	12.5	12.5

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TRIAXIAL COMPRESSION

STRESS-STRAIN RELATIONSHIP

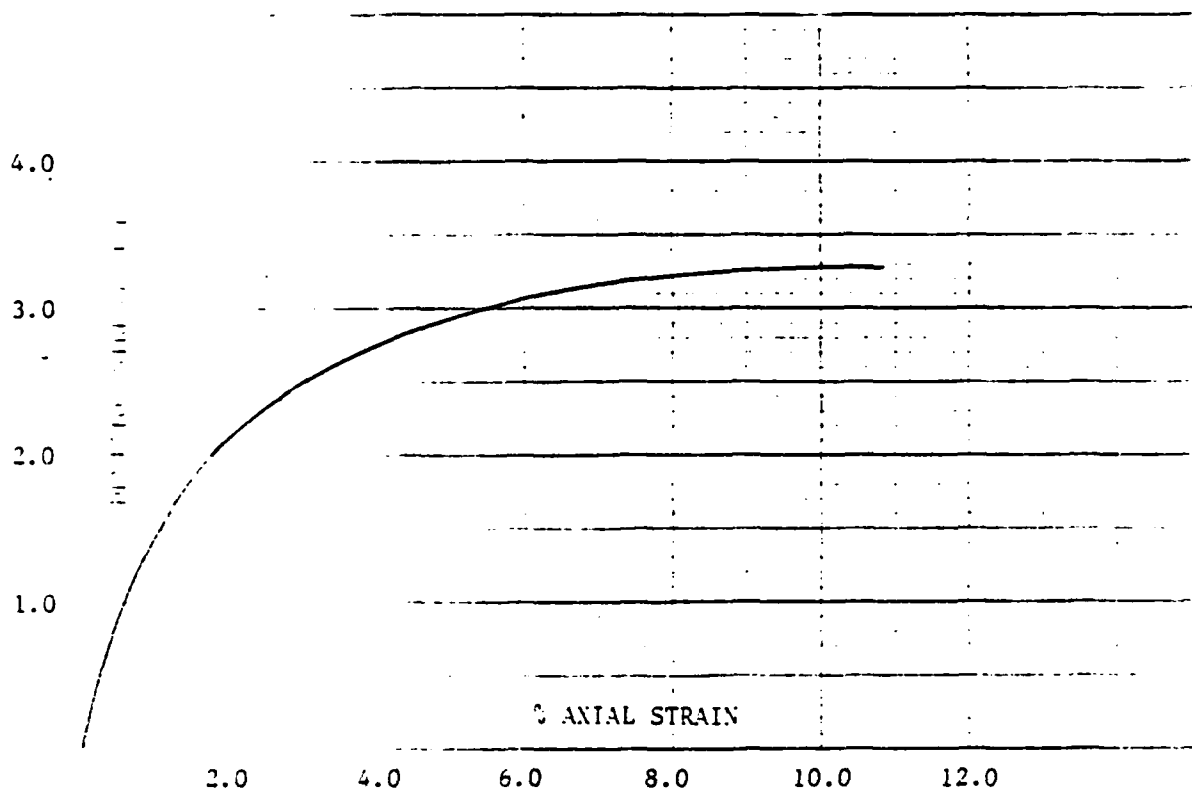
PROJECT: Thomas Hill

PROJECT NO: 76-017-3-005

TEST NO: D 198

SAMPLE NO: ST 2 1

DEPTH: 8.0-10.0 ft.



2.85 in.

HEIGHT: 5.58 in.

17.6 percent

UNIT DRY WEIGHT: 114.2 lbs/ft³

3.5 PSI

NATURAL X REMOLDED

3.27 TSF

AXIAL STRAIN: 10.8 percent

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TRIAXIAL COMPRESSION

STRESS-STRAIN RELATIONSHIP

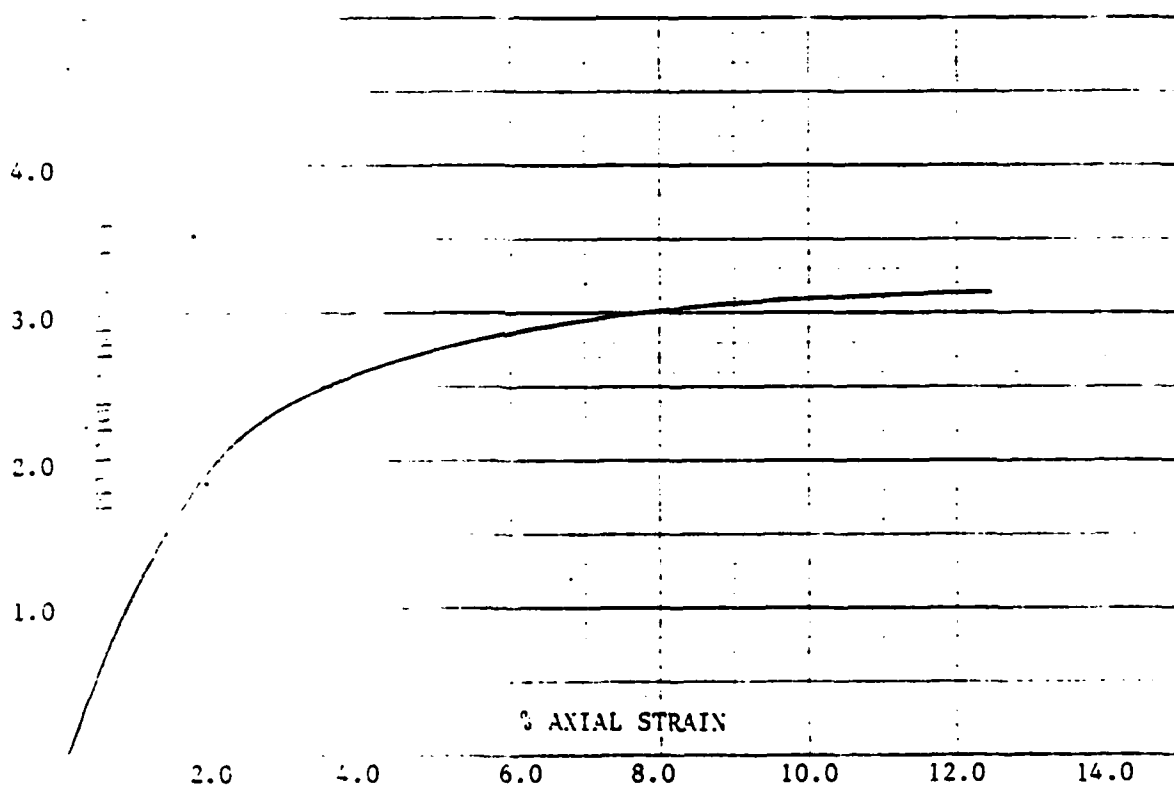
TESTER: Thomas Hill

PROJECT NO: 76-017-3-005

SOIL TYPE: D 198

SAMPLE NO: ST 2 2

DEPTH: 8.0-10.0 ft.



2.85 in.

HEIGHT: 5.58 in.

17.5 percent

UNIT DRY WEIGHT: 113.4 lbs/ft³

7 PSI

NATURAL X REMOLDED

1.14pcf

AXIAL STRAIN: 12.5 percent

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TRIAXIAL COMPRESSION

STRESS-STRAIN RELATIONSHIP

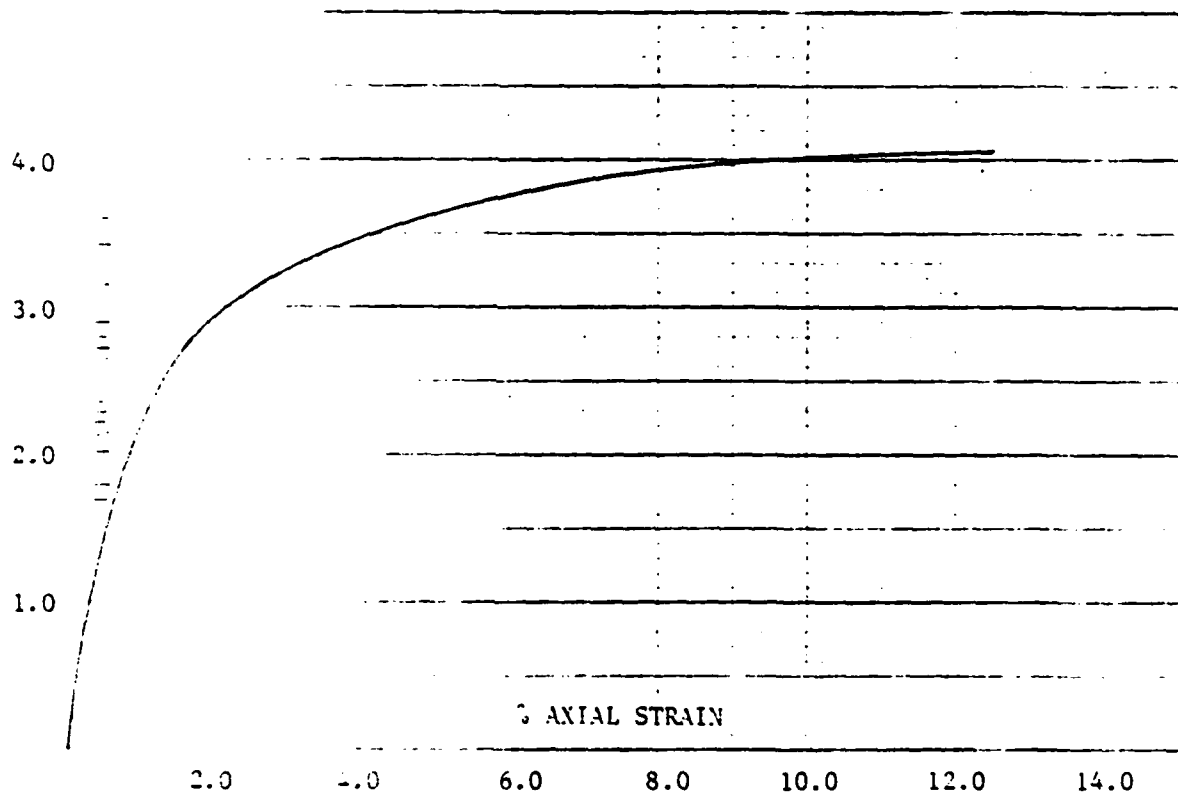
PROJECT: Thomas Hill

PROJECT NO: 76-017-3-005

LOCATION: D 198

SAMPLE NO: ST 2 3

DEPTH: 8.0-10.0 ft.



2.35 in.

HEIGHT: 5.58 in.

18.1 percent

UNIT DRY WEIGHT: 112.1 lbs/ft³

11 PSI

NATURAL X REMOLDED

4.07 TSF

AXIAL STRAIN: 12.5 percent

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TRIAXIAL COMPRESSION

STRESS-STRAIN RELATIONSHIP

R-test

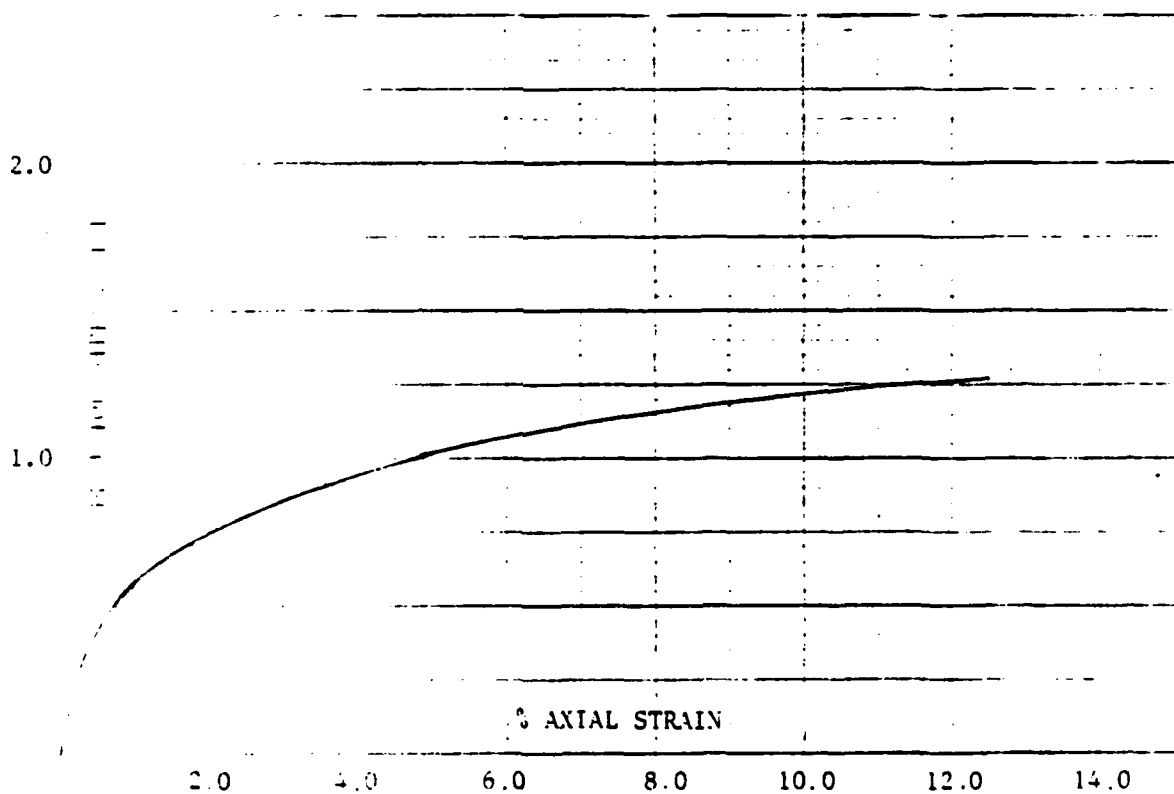
PROJECT: Thomas Hill

PROJECT NO: 76-017-3-005

ROADWAY: D 199

SAMPLE NO: ST 2

DEPTH: 8.0-10.0 ft.



1.00 in.

HEIGHT: 5.58 in.

19.8 percent

UNIT DRY WEIGHT: 107.0 lbs/ft³

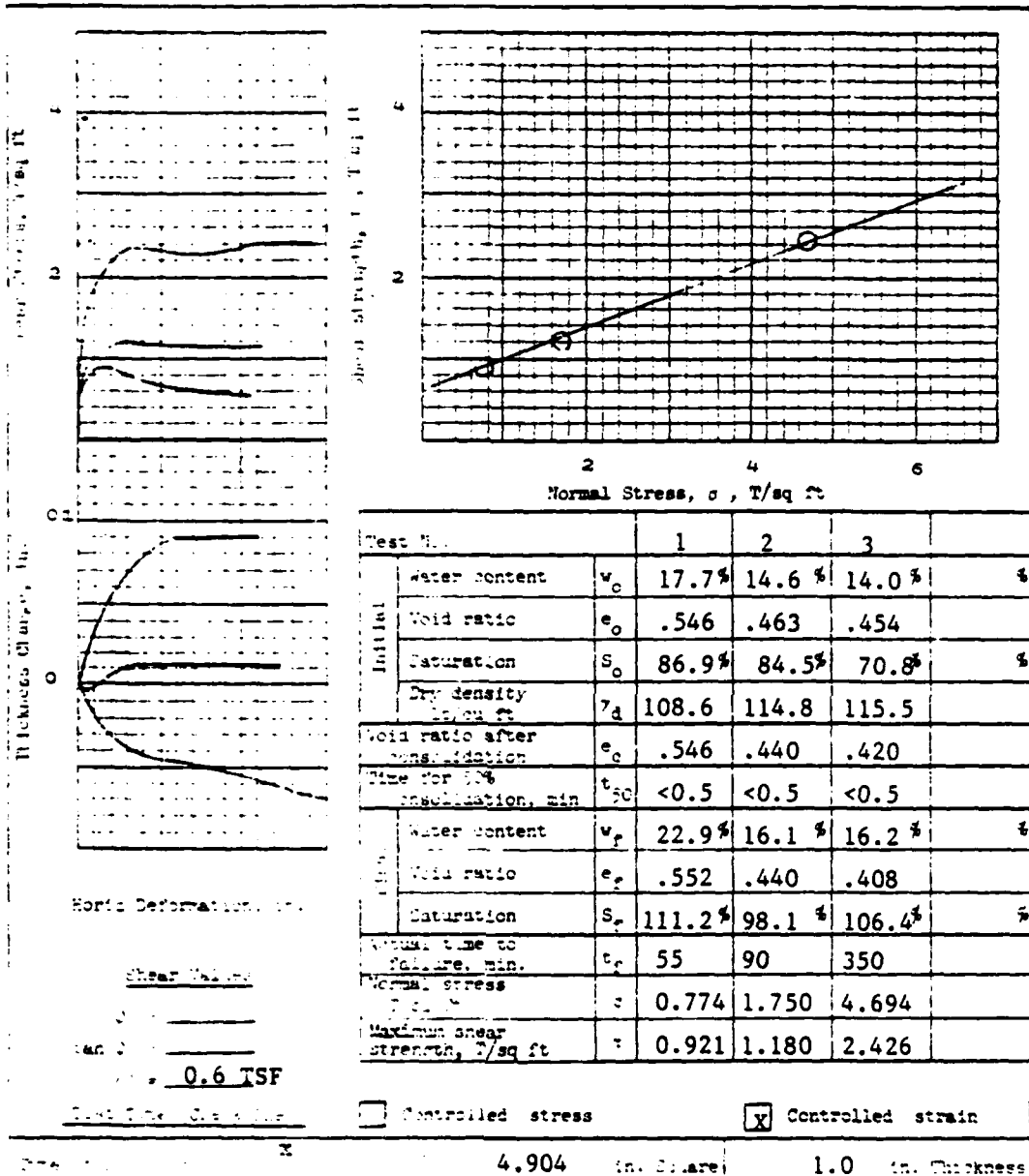
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NATURAL X REMOLDEN

1.26 137

AXIAL STRAIN: 12.5 percent

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Soil: Olive brown silty clay from Thomas Hill 76-017-3-005

with sand and gravel. Burns and McDonnell

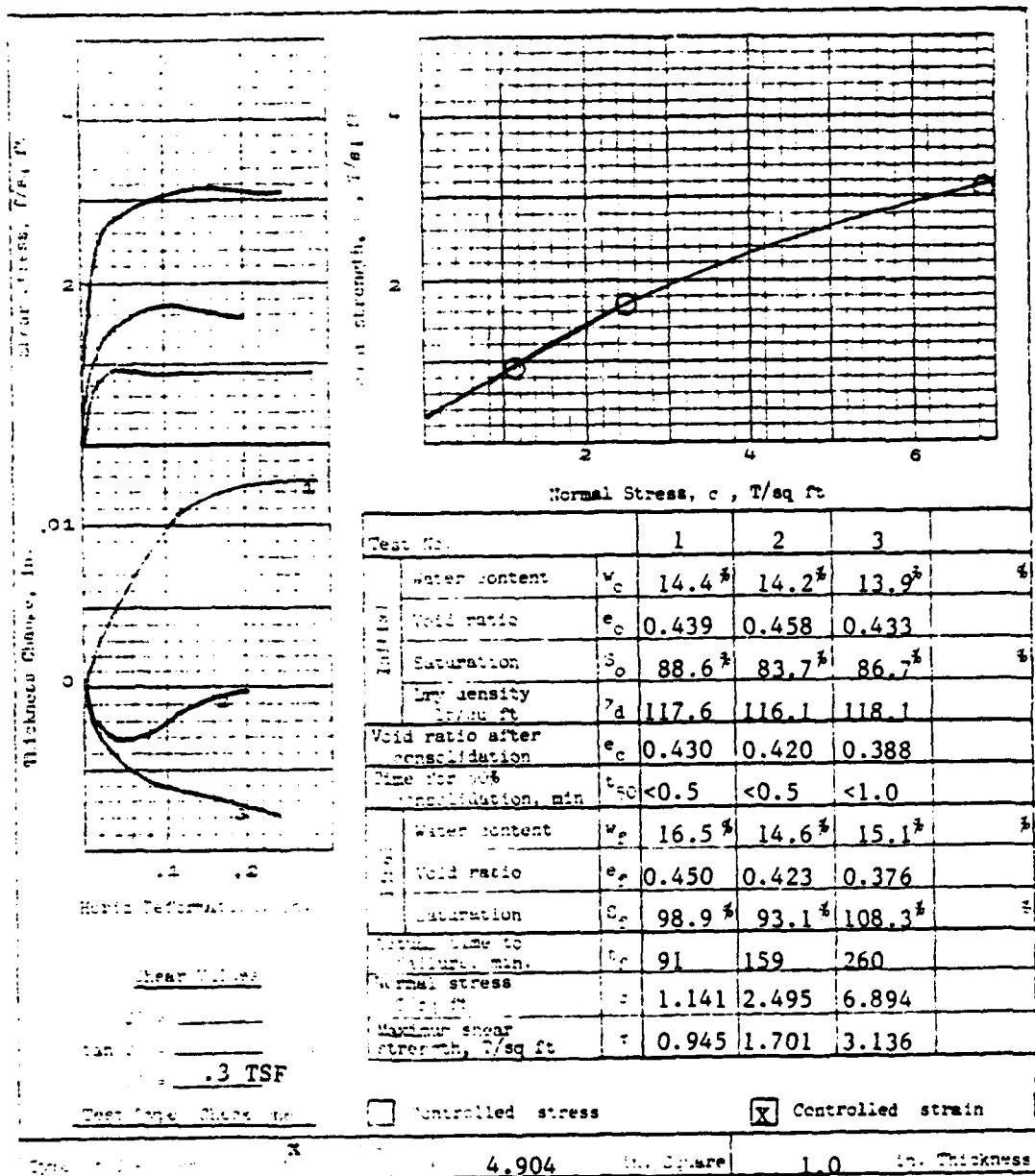
Test: consolidated 3 days

shear speed .0554 in./hr. Test No. D 197 Sample No. ST 6

28.0-30.0 ft. Date

DIRECT SHEAR TEST REPORT

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Soil: Unmortared clay

Location: Thomas Hill

Project: Burns and McDonnell

Test: Consolidated 3 days, shear speed .0554 inches/hour

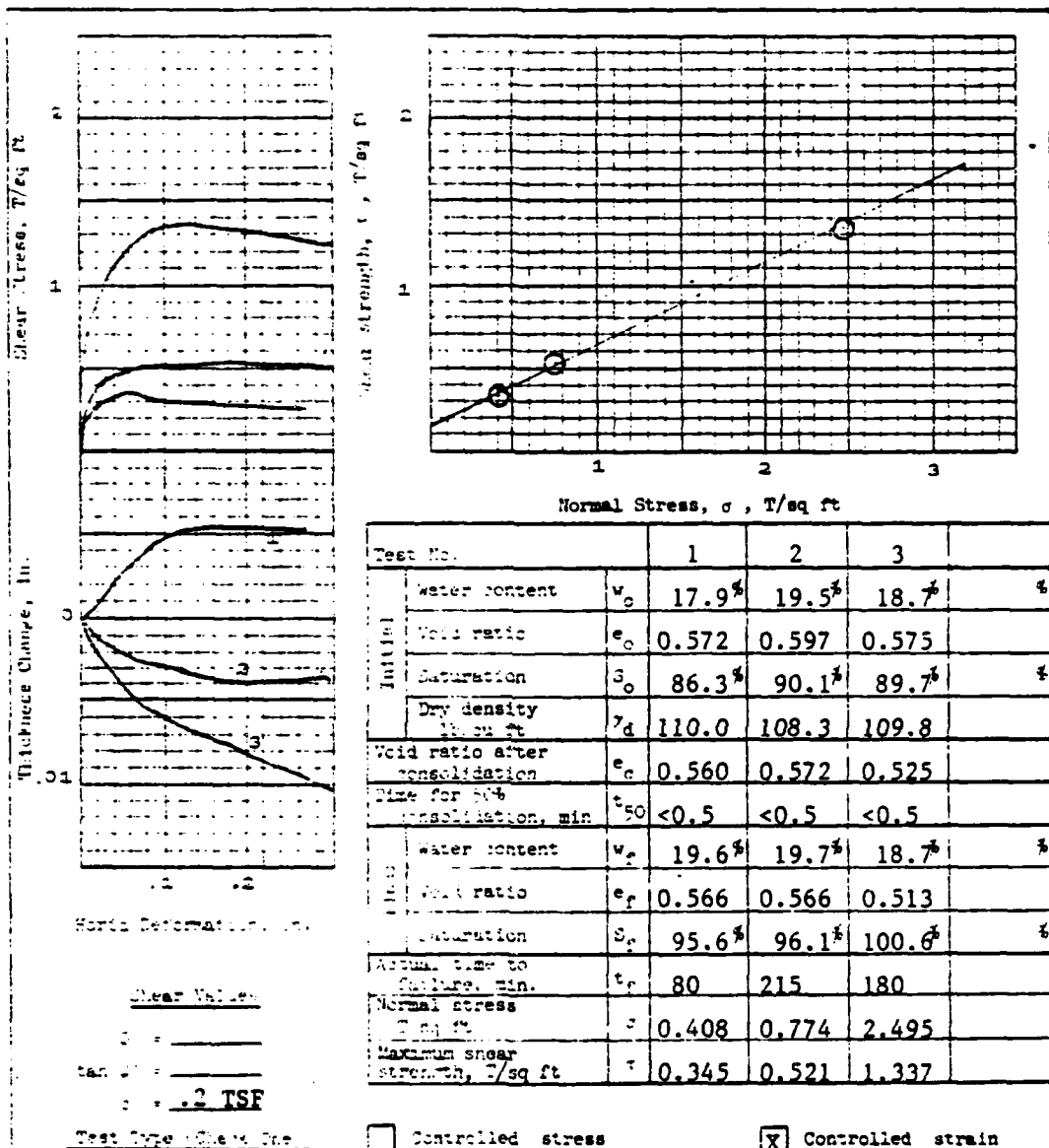
Spec. No. D 197

Sample No. ST 9

43.0-45.0 ft.

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Date: 4.904 in. Square 1.0 in. Thickness

Soil: Olive mottled gray silty clay with trace of sand and gravel

Location: Thomas Hill Burns and McDonnell

Sample No.: D 199 Sample No.: ST 3

Test: consolidated 13.0-15.0 ft. Date

3 days, shear speed 0.0554"/hr

DIRECT SHEAR TEST REPORT